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John Robinson Coming.

A Big Menagerie.

The John Robinson Shows carry a large amount of live stock. Horses numbering 300 have to be cared for every day. It takes tons of provender to feed these horses and the menagerie.

The animals of the menagerie are generally of the most interest, The hardiest and longest lived and most intelligent is said to be the elephant. Some of the largest of this show are used to push the heavy wagons and cages about the "lot" when the show is setting up. One morning an elephant became enraged at his driver and wheeled quickly and struck at the man with his trunk. The beady eyes of the animal glistened as he trumpeted his anger. The keeper lashed the big brute with his whip and subdued him without any damage being done. Had the man been hit by the blow it would have killed him. When an elephant gets so bad that he is dangerous the owners have the animal killed, and a substitute takes his place, although the killing of an elephant means a loss of several thousand dollars.

The most delicate animal is the giraffe. They take cold easily, and often die of hasty consumption. Seals are hardy, but they are difficult to train. Probably the hardest animal to train in the world is the African zebra. They will not give up to man. They will be killed before they will obey. Sometimes hybrids are seen, and they resemble the full blooded animal.

The Robinson Shows carry everything that can be found in a good-sized city. With the aggregation is a blacksmith, a barber, harnessmaker, two painters, gilder, cooks, bakers, electricians, a minister, the show's own attorney and its two veterinary doctors, besides its own family physicians.

Not many shows carry their own electric light plant. This is a feature of the Robinson Shows, and the big tent is as light as day within. Linemen are employed to keep the plant in running order.

No one who is not in touch with the show can form any idea of the enormity of it. It is a small city in itself, constantly on the move, but with all kinds of methodical provisions for its running.

Two exhibits are given daily, rain or shine, and in case of inclement weather, waterproof tents insure ample protection and comfort.

The big shows will be seen at Emporium, Saturday, June 26.

Had to Pay Costs.

"A long time subscriber to this paper, (Port Allegany Reporter), last week, paid $23.56 subscription, ten dollar costs, and several dollars of other expenses, because he had made up his mind he could beat the editor out of his just dues. He couldn't do it. We have just a few more of these and we are arranging to have some more fun. It has become a too common understanding that a subscription account is different from a debt owed for groceries or for meat, and can be turned off with a laugh. We have collected a dozen old dead heads since last spring from fellows who gave us the hoarse ha! ha! We like to do it.

The PRESS is compiling a similar list and we shall push them to an issue. A word to the wise should besufficient. of June, the results being as follows:

Mr. Rowley Recovering.

Mr. Jos. W. Rowley, of Port Allegany, Pa., who recently met with an auto accident near Austin, breaking his right arm, is improving rapidly and hopes soon to be able to return to Emporium and resume his position as manager of F. E. Rowley's lumber yards. "Joe" has hosts of friends here who will welcome him back.

Attended Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Leggett, of Maple Farm, on West Creek, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. J. T. Poyer and her son Max, of Williamsport, attended a reunion of the relatives of Mrs. Leggett's family at Genessee, Potter county, last week.

Emmanuel Church Services.

Jnne 27, Third Sunday after Trinity:

8 a. m., Holy Communion.

10:30 a. m., Morning Prayer and Litany. Subject of the sermon: The Story of the Deluge.

7:30 p. m., Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject: The Things That Pass Away and the Things that Abide.

For Sale.

Cabbage Plants, by the thousand for $1.50. Apply to H. & G. L. Day.

18-2t.

Attention Children!

The children who will take part in representing the Human U. S. Flag, at the Celebration of July 4th, are requested to meet this week Friday, at 7:30 p. m., at the City Hall with the band.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.

Next Sunday, June 27, at 10:30 a. m., infant baptism, followed with sermon by Rev. Emony M. Stevens, District Superintendant and former pastor of this church. At 7:30 o'clock, Children's Day exercises by the Sunday School. Collection for christian association.

Forty-One New Members.

A service of unusual interest was held in the First Methodist Episcopal Church on last Sunday morning, when the pastor, Rev. J. F. Anderson, assisted by the official members, received forty-one probationers into full membership—adults and young people. Still others will be received later. An interesting feature of the service was the presentation by the pastor's wife of a white carnation to each new member, as a symbol of the pure life each one will try to live. This was probably the largest ingathering at one time in the history of this church. The day will long be remembered.

Opera House Attractions.

Manager T. J. Butler of the opera house, presented a big show the beginning of the week by entertaining the public with three vaudeville acts, two illustrated songs and two reels of pictures, taking one and one-half hours to finish the programme. Emporiumites certainly can have no kick coming when a performance of this kind and length only costs ten cents. The attractions will continue—three full bills—during the balance of week, in fact during the entire summer months. That Emporium is now furnished attractions fully as good as the larger cities is certainly appreciated by the public. The managers of both Theatorium and opera house are certainly doing it right and proper by their patrons.

Hon. G. W. Huntley Sustains Injury.

By 'Phone to Press.

Hon. G. W. Huntley, who is spending the summer at his home at Driftwood met with a painful injury last Tuesday morning. While supervising some work in one of his barns, he broke through the floor, falling to the lower floor, a distance of seven or eight feet. Luckily no bones were broken, but his great weight gave him a great shaking up. Dr. V. K. Corbett was summoned and hopes no serious results will follow. Miss Nellie, one of his daughters, who was visiting M. P. Whiting and family, at Ridgway, was wired for and came home on afternoon train.

Second Anniversary.

Last Monday evening marked the second anniversary of the opening of the Theatorium. The managers of this popular resort have given the public the best moving pictures that could be procured and certainly have been successful in securing the latest reels on the market. Monday evening the hall was crowded to its utmost capacity with an appreciative audience who were well entertained by two illustrated songs, two reels of pictures and two fine vaudeville acts. The management presented each patron with a souvenir. Managers Bair, Green and Blinzler are to be congratulated upon arriving at the second anniversary of the Theatorium and here's hoping this popular amusement house will continue for years to come.

Seriously ill.

Mr. John E. Smith of Sterling Run, made his usual Wednesday visit to Emporium yesterday to attend the directors' meeting of First National Bank. He reports his mother, who is in her 85th year, in a critical condition. She was taken with hemorrhage of the nose Tuesday night. Dr. H. S. Falk was called and drove to Sterling Run during the night. At the hour of going to press she is in a very weakened condition, her advanced age being against her.

Cows for Sale.

Several good fresh milch cows for sale; also plenty of cabbage plants, 25c per 100; $1.50 per thousand. Apply at Climax Farm, Emporium, Pa.

18-tf, S. M. VANWERT.

Lost.

A screw diamond stud. Information which leads to its recovery will be satisfactorily rewarded and no questions asked. Address, Box 904, Union City, Pa. 18-2t.

READY FOR THE EXECUTION

Joe Pagano, Who Murdered John Kibe, Nov. 26, 1908.

Next Tuesday, Joe Pagano, who murdered John Kibe at the American Hotel, Emporium, on the evening of Nov. 26th, 1908, will pay the penalty of his crime upon the gallows, the same that was used for the execution of Ora Odell. The same gallows in 1896 and now loaned by the county commissioners of Potter county, was used in the first instance for the execution of Chas. Brewster, Feb. 1896, for the murder of his step father, Marshall Striker, of Sweden Valley.

All is now in readiness for the final act. Sheriff John W. Norris has summoned the following freemen to serve as Sheriff's Jury upon the fatal day:

Stewart Nellis, Emporium.
Amos Ross, Gibson.
Jacob Kritner, Shippen.
Wm. Berry, Lumber.
Elihu Chadwick, Shippen.
Joseph Kissell, Lumber.
Anson O. Swartwood, Emporium.
Wm. McDonald, Shippen.
Sylvester McDonough, Emporium.
Henry J. Darrin, Lumber.
Byron Duell, Gibson.
Wm. Rankin, Gibson.

The prisoner came to this country five or six years ago and was employed at the different powder plants, where he is said to have been a very faithful worker. The condemed man has a mother, who resides in Italy. During his incarceration in Cameron county jail he has been in poor health, nervous and refused food; sleeping very little. After Governor Stuart fixed the date of execution he seemed resigned to his fate.

This being the second execution in the history of Cameron county we hope it will be the last.

Numerous applications have been made upon Sheriff Norris for tickets of admission, to witness the terrible scene and we have professionally witnessed one such horrible sight and dread another, yet we suppose, we shall be on hand this time, much as we dislike it The life is an editor is not all roses.

Improvements at Hickory.

Harry H. Smith, the son of Capt. and Mrs. Perry R. Smith, of this place, who bought the tannery at Hickory, Forest county, some months ago, is making wonderful improvements in that village. The tannery has been remodeled and made modern in every respect, and now the residences are being remodeled and repaired in fine shape. C. A. Newburg, the Ridgway contracting carpenter, is doing the carpenter work, and S. W. Miles and Nels A. Johnson, both of this place, have the contract for doing the plastering. Mr. Johnson and Mr. Miles leave this afternoon on the 5:35 train for Hickory to begin their contract. Aaron Segerstrom, of this place, will also lay several thousand feet of water line for the protection of the property from fire. Mr. Smith is having a fine residence built for himself and will move his family from Ridgway to Hickory in the near future, We are sorry to lose them, but wish them success in their new home. Harry has secured a good education and then served an apprenticeship at the tanning business, hence we have no doubt he will make a big success of the tanning business like his father did before him—Ridgway Daily Record.

Mr. Smith resided in Emporium for a time, being employed at the Elk Tannery at this place. His many friends here will be pleased to read of his prosperous surroundings.

Just received a fresh invoice of Crackers and Cookies at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Leg Crushed.

Our citizens were pained to learn of the accident that befel Jay Shaffer, at Ridgway, Tuesday afternoon. The following from Ridgway Daly Record, will give our readers the facts:

Jay Shaffer, the eldest son of A. H. Shaffer, the Civil Engineer, had one of his legs taken off this afternoon about 2:30 o'clock by a P. & E. freight train about two miles east of Ridgway, just opposite the swimming hole in Elk Creek near the residence of Charles Searfass.

Jay and a number of other boys had been in swimming and had dressed and started home. They had to cross the railroad track and as the freight train was standing on the track they climbed across between the cars. Jay unfortunately was still on the cars when the train suddenly started, throwing him down between the platforms of the cars under the wheels.

He fell just at the edge of the track and almost escaped harm, but one of his feet remained on the rail and was soon crushed beneath the cruel wheels. He was taken immediately to the home of Charles Searfass and the boys hastened to town for medical assistance. The ambulance did not go out but Jay was brought to the hospital in a private carriage, shortly after 3:30 o'clock.

Jay is 15 years old and was for several years employed as a carrier boy on the Daily Record.

Fatal Accident Near Hicks Run

On Sunday evening as Walter Barr of Hicks Run was returning from Mason Hill accompanied by his wife and two small children, a part of the harness gave way, crowding the horse and causing it to run away, on the steep hill road. Mr. Barr and little son, William, a bright lad of three years, were first thrown out. Some distance further down Mrs. Barr and little daughter were thrown out and the buggy upset. The father escaped with some painful bruises, Mrs. Barr with a sprained wrist and the little girl unharmed. Friends soon came to their aid all were hurried to Dr. Murril's office, where all were made as comfortable as possible. The little boy died from his injuries early Tuesday morning.

"Down on the Old Farm."

Mr. James F. Wright and son Dawson returned on Tuesday from visiting relatives and friends at Frederick, Md., Marietta, York, Columbia and Lebanon. At Frederick, Md., Mr. Wright visited his mother, whom he had not seen in seventeen years. Neither knew the other for a moment and "Jim" questioned the toll-gate man, saying, "is that Mrs. Wright in that rig?" "Yes," replied the toll-man, "why?" "She is my mother," replied Jim. The lady heard the questions and asked, "My son; which one!" Then there was rejoicing amid tears and joy. At home—the old home—on the old farm. "Good time—well, I guess." Cherry pies—Oh! dear.

A Dandy Auto.

Last Saturday afternoon, Ex-Sheriff King, M. M. Pomeroy, F. E. Dunbar, accompanied by two friends, autoed over from Port Allegany in Mr. Pomeroy's "Rambler," calling on friends. While here, Mr. Pomeroy kindly invited ye editor to take a ride in his easy-going hill climber. It went up the steep Broad street hill as easy as rolling off a log—without any seeming effort. It is a dandy machine.

Betrothal Announced.

On Tuesday afternoon at an "at home," given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brookbank, Driftwood, the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rachel to Mr. Earl B. Saunders, of Portvile, N. Y., was announced, the marriage to take place in October. Both contracting parties are well and favorably known in Emporium, Mr. Saunders having been engaged in business here.

Successful Operation.

J. Pitt Felt, of this place, recently returned from his Florida plantation, stopping at Philadelphia to enter a hospital. Last Friday he passed through a very serious operation, which will keep him there for several weeks. His sons, J. Paul and Dr. L. R., went to Philadelphia last Saturday. L. R., returned yesterday but J. Paul will remain with his father a few days. Hope the patient may fully recover.

Teachers' Examinations.

Teacher's examinations will be held at the High School at Emporium, next Friday, June 25th, at 8 a. m.

MATTIE M. COLLINS, County Supt.

The Fourth at Emporium Will be Observed on Fifth.

Emporium's Independence Day Celebration will, this year take place at Keystone Park on Monday, July 5th. While there will not be a great display there will be plenty of fun and a genuine old-fashioned and sane celebration.

The committee in charge will make every effort to please all who may come

Part of the programme has been agreed upon, viz:

Prices to be given to the winners of games on July 5th:

Ladies Nail Driving Contest. Beautiful Jewelled Comb.

100 yard Dash, free for all. $3.00 in cash.

Girls Race. Handsome Silk Parasol.

Boys Sack Race. $3.00 in cash.

Wheelbarrow Race. $3.00 in cash.

Potato Race. $3.00 in cash.

To the bride who will be married at Keystone Park, handsome bed room set and many valuable presents from the merchants of Emporium.

Those wishing to take part in the games and contest for the prizes will please hand in their names to the chairman of the committee, as soon as possibie. Any one can come in—its free for all.

R. KUEHNE, Chairman.

Almost a Fire.

About 6:30 Monday evening, Mr. Mahlon Ramarge's little son discovered a fire in E. J. Smith's grist mill, gave the alarm and was instrumental in saving the plant. Some one had lighted some papers deposited in one of the windows. The fire was quickly extinguished, the only damage being the destruction of E. J's umbrella, so keep your eyes on yours. A wag at our shoulder says he "never saw Alton Housler get such a speed on as he did when he heard the mill was on fire."

A Big Surprise.

A new girl arrived at the home of Chas. Hockley last Thursday evening and gave grand-father, Hon. I. K. Hoekley, a complete surprise. In fact he was entirely ignorant of the fact that he was three times a grand-dad, went to bed, got up early and (his wife being away) secured a quick lunch and went to his office. Judge his surprise at noon when informed of the facts. Although only weighing three pounds, the little girl is alive and will live. Herbert has not yet made up with his new sister.

Across the Ocean in 1879.

We were permitted to examine a pamphlet, on Monday, giving the names of the saloon passengers on the "City of Richmond" that sailed from New York, June 7, 1879 for Liverpool. We noticed in the list, Mr. Chas. B. Howard and wife, then of Williamsport, and Mr. Wm. H. Howard and Josiah Howard, now residents of Emporium. We also read the *menu* of same boat and certainly they lived well. We imagine we can hear Wilorder "some more of that...., please."

I. X. L. Ice Cream for July 4th.

To avoid disappointment leave your order early for Fourth of July Ice Cream. With a large additional line of new packers just purchasd, I am prepared to take care of all orders.

J. B. MEISEL.

For Sale

One second hand Reaper; one second hand mower; one platform scales; one cultivator; a lot of log chains. The above will be sold cheap for cash.

WM. HACKENBERG, Emporium, Pa.

Cherries.

Cherries for sale, black, red, sweet and sour, at 8, 10 and 12 cents per quart. Apply to W. W. Weiman, Box 408, Emporium, Pa. 18-tf.

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SATURDAY, Fair.
SUNDAY, Fair.

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DENTIST,
(Successor to Dr. A. B. Mead.)
Office over A. F. Vogt's Shoe Store,
Emporium, Pa. 12y

Social.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Mr. Charles Barr, on North Creek, Saturday evening, July 3, 1909, for the benefit of the Rich Valley pastor. COMMITTEE.

Heard From.

Smith Whitman writes the PRESS from Castle Shannon, Pa., that he is on the road, at his old job, selling his popular book, "The Pennsylvania Lawyer." Mr. W., says he longs to return to Cameron county.

Hurry! Hurry! Brides of Cameron County.

A fine bed room set, and many other valuable presents from the merchants of Emporium awaits the young couple who will consent to be married at Keystone Park, Emporium, on the afternoon of July 5th Address, R. Kuehne, Chairman Fourth of July Committee.

Free Methodist Church.

There will be no preaching services at the Free Methodist Church Sabbath, June 27, or the following Sabbath, July 4th. Sabbath School as usual at 10 a. m., followed by class meeting. The pastor and a number of his people will attend the annual ten days camp meeting of the Bradford district, which convenies at Eldred, Pa, June 25 to July 4th.

Going West.

Miss Marion Rentz expects to leave for the west on Monday, June 28th, and will be the guest of her cousin. Mrs. Hellar, at Wichita, Kansas. Miss Grace Rentz, of Muncy, Pa., will arrive at Emporium on Saturday and together the young ladies will make the trip. They expect to remain in the west until next October, when Mrs. Hellar will accompany them east. The PRESS wishes them a safe journey and pleasant time.

Baptist Church.

JOHN L. BOGUE, Pastor.

On Sunday evening the theme will be "Branded or Known by Marks. At 7:30 in the evening, the auditorium will be used by the Sunday School for the purpose of presenting their Children's day exercises. We extend a cordial invitation to all our friends to be present at this service.

Regular Sunday School hour at 11:45 a. m., attendance last Sunday 104.

The adult class will take a brief survey of the Book of Gensis.

Strangers welcome to all services.

Always on the Look-out.

Mr. R. Kuehne the energetic, Fourth street merchant, visited Buffalo on Monday and secured some rare bargains for his trade. He is truly alive to the fact that the early bird catches the worm. He strives to give the best to be purchased at the lowest possible price for cash. Quick returns saves the dimes. Read his attractive advertisement on 8th page.

First Presbyterian Church.

Paul J. Lux, Pastor.

Morning Worship and Sermon, 10:30.
Sunday School, 11:45.
Junior endeavor, 3 p. m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30.
Evening Service, 7:30.

Mid-summer sermons, short, interesting and helpful. Come and worship with us. A cordial invitation to all

Linoleum at 99c per yard is getting scarce at C. B. Howard & Co's.

For Sale.

Two wide tire lumber wagons, one set double harness, one good 1200 pound mare. Apply to

19-tf. D. C. HAYES.

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No paper will be discontinued until arrearages are paid, except at the option of the publisher.

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DAYLIGHT HOURS.

The movement to change the daylight hours of work might well be encouraged. The plan proposed is that, from May 1 to October 1—practically the summer months—the hands on the clock shall be set back two hours, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. Or, in other words, the daylight workday shall begin and close two hours earlier each day. There are many advantages in this proposed innovation. Early morning hours are the best for work in the summer months. Early closing of labor means longer and better hours for rest and recreation. Better physical condition and better mental powers will result. A healthier moral tone ought to prevail. More and better service should be rendered. The consequent relaxation from the stress and strain of the long, hot summer months could not help but produce a more wholesome and contented body of men and women everywhere. At the first some inconvenience might be felt while the readjustment is being made; but the advantages of the proposed reform are certainly attractive enough to win it favor, as in England.

Influenza or grip, followed too often by pneumonia, has spread rapidly during the past week of dust and high winds throughout the city. Dr. Walter Bensel, sanitary superintendent of the health department, announces that the fatalities from this cause have resulted in an alarmingly high death rate, says the New York Times. Yet with reasonable care no one need fear this infectious disease. It is in the throat that the germs of influenza find lodgment; thence their poisons filter through the mucous membrane into the blood. They immediately affect the digestive tract, the lungs, the kidneys and the inner membranous passages of the head. Hence the pains in the various parts of the body, the acute swellings in the head and face, fever and marked general prostration. All may be avoided by the cleansing and keeping clean of the mouth, teeth, tonsils and nose, and by some attention to the raiment during the shifting state of the weather. Excesses, such as overeating and overdrinking, are particularly dangerous.

Cities all over the union will follow the example of New York in making war upon the house fly. The best way to deal with the pest is to keep him out with screens guarding windows and doors. However, there are times when he will get in. A poison for Mr. Fly that is said to be not dangerous to human beings is made with bichromate of potassium. A seven per cent. solution of this chemical mixed in water and sweetened with sugar may be placed in shallow dishes throughout the house. It will attract the flies, and every fly that drinks it will perish.

Peace by disarmament receives a notable impetus from the order of the war department discontinuing the sale at auction of obsolete firearms discarded by the United States army. If our friends in Central America are too poor to buy new guns when the notion seizes them to set up a revolution and overthrow a government, they must perforce keep quiet and let the existing government alone if they can no longer buy cheap, but good, old guns from us. Thus does war become more and more a luxury reserved for the wealthy.

Iowa has followed New York with a law against immoral theatrical performances. The outbreak of the "Salome" craze has aroused public opinion, apparently, to the extent of demanding legislative interference. As American public opinion is, in the main, a healthy growth, the late flood of pruriency on the stage has brought about its own correction.

Society women in New York who wanted to put on masculine attire to play polo were not allowed to do so, but a Connecticut woman was permitted to work in overalls, on a public road, breaking stone. The ideas of womanly decorum seem to be rather mixed or, perhaps, are geographically defined.

IMPORTANT NEWS NOTES OF A WEEK

LATEST HAPPENINGS THE WORLD OVER TOLD IN ITEMIZED FORM.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Condensed Into a Few Lines for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Latest Personal Information.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

President Taft sent a message to congress urging a tax on the undistributed earnings of corporations.

Senator Borah announced in the senate that he will vote, when the opportunity comes, to give self government to the Philippines.

Plans have been made by President Taft and Senator Aldrich to defeat, if possible, the supporters of an income tax provision.

Senator-elect Lorimer of Illinois decided to remain in the house until the tariff bill is passed to aid Speaker Cannon, who is threatened with another revolt.

PERSONAL.

Former President Roosevelt in an article in the Outlook compared the rule of the corporations with that of a bloodthirsty mob.

Justice Mills in the New York supreme court postponed the hearing on Harry K. Thaw's application for release from the insane asylum at Matteawan until July 6.

Charles W. Morse, the convicted New York banker and former "ice king," was freed from jail on a $125,000 bond.

Ralph Shull, a wealthy lumberman of Minneapolis, is going to the workhouse for five days for exceeding the automobile speed limit.

Charles W. Fairbanks, former vice-president of the United States, was entertained in elaborate fashion by the governor of Kyoto, Japan. He was driven to his hotel in the governor's carriage.

Former Judge Abner Smith of Chicago is now librarian at the Joliet penitentiary, where he was sent for bank wrecking.

Francis E. Leupp resigned as Indian commissioner and President Taft appointed Robert G. Valentine to fill the place.

Kaiser Wilhelm in an address to 60 British clergymen whom he received at Potsdam, declared himself a friend of Great Britain.

The appointment of Viscount Arasuke Sone to be resident general of Korea for Japan was announced in Tokyo. Simultaneously, Prince Ito was named president of the privy council.

GENERAL NEWS.

While guarding the royal yacht on which the czar and the German emperor were holding a conference, a Russian torpedo boat fired upon a British steamer and wounded the engineer.

Charles F. Leininger was killed and two other men shot by an actor who had been attacked by several persons at Fairfield, Ill., because of his attentions to one of the young women of the town.

Hearing of testimony in the case of Private Klein, of a Chicago militia company, who killed Earl Nelson, a Kankakee boy with a bayonet, began at Paxton, Ill.

Thomas J. McCoy, former banker and politician of Laporte, Ind., was released from the state penitentiary where he served three years for embezzlement.

Levi Yoder, of Massilon, O., killed himself rather than comply with the provisions of his mother's will, which required him to wear hooks and eyes instead of buttons on his clothes.

Earl Moran, a legless man, married Mrs. Julia Davis, of Plaquemine, La., at Waukegan, Ill.

Gov. Harmon and staff reviewed the parade of the Ohio G. A. R. veterans on the closing day of their encampment at Newark.

Ralph de Palma broke the automobile speed record for 25 miles, making the distance in 23 minutes and 35 seconds at Readville, Mass.

George C. White, William Kilgannon, and the latter's wife, Elizabeth Kilgannon, pleaded guilty in the United States circuit court in New York to indictments charging them with smuggling.

In a fire in a five-story tenement house in Cincinnati, the 100 panic-stricken occupants were saved by daring rescues by firemen.

Peter Rhoars, while fishing in the Maumee river at Toledo, O., drew to the surface the body of a man.

Postmaster General Hitchcock has invited to Washington officers of the National Daylight association with whom he will hold a conference at the request of President Taft.

Martin J. Keese, for 28 years janitor and custodian of the New York city hall, is reported dying with bronchitis. Keese first achieved fame by arresting "Boss" Tweed.

A lizard, believed to be centuries old, was found in nine feet of rock in Montana.

The trial of Joseph B. Klein, private in a Chicago militia regiment, for killing Earl Nelson at Kankakee, began at Paxton, Ill.

Members of the Second company of constabulary in the Philippines mutinied, attacked their officers and fled to the mountains when repulsed.

Fourteen hat manufacturing firms of Connecticut were sued for $364,000 damages by the Amalgamated Hat Manufacturers of New York, as a result of the recent strike.

A cigar or cigarette carelessly tossed away is supposed to have caused a fire that destroyed the auditorium of the Monumental building in which the Ohio Grand Army veterans held their encampment in Newark.

The towns of Purdy and Monett in Missouri were wrecked, and the surrounding country devastated by a tornado. At least two were killed.

The high federal court of Venezuela has given a decision declaring unconstitutional Castro's decrees of January, 1907, which annulled the salt and match monopoly concessions. The decision restores to the Ethelburga syndicate, limited, of London, all its rights.

John G. A. Leishman, the retiring American ambassador to Turkey, has left Constantinople for Rome.

Servants and former employes of Mrs. Howard Gould told of seeing her frequently intoxicated.

The Illinois supreme court declared the state's primary election law unconstitutional.

"Mother" Jones, who seeks a pardon for a man who violated the neutrality laws, made an appeal to President Taft in the prisoner's behalf.

A report by department of agriculture experts says tuberculosis among hogs in the United States is increasing.

Senator Elkins declared his daughter, Miss Katherine, is going to Europe because of an affection of the heart and not to meet the duke of the Abruzzi as has been reported.

Damage estimated at $400,000 in the piano factory of Hardman, Peck & Co., in New York, was caused by fire.

The Augustana Synod of America, meeting at Red Wing, Minn., decided to hold its next conference in Rock Island, Ill.

The submarine boats, Grayling, Bonito and Snapper were launched at Quincy, Mass.

Celebration of the twentieth anniversary of statehood was held in Aberdeen, S. D.

Farmers near Taitsville, Mo., after two of their daughters had been shot from ambush, carried rifles while they worked in their fields,

An Erie passenger train was wrecked at Waverly N. Y., and several passengers painfully injured.

Edward Arnold, two years old, was playing in front of the house from which deputy sheriffs were evicting his parents in Far Rockaway, N. Y., when he was killed by an ice wagon.

The German emperor and the czar of Russia met on a royal yacht and discussed a world policy.

Wilbur and Orville Wright were honored at a big fete in their home city, Dayton, O.

Fifty pupils of New York public school No. 47, who at the beginning of the term were unable to speak, recited poetry and gave orations in clear voice before their parents in a large hall.

Launches, instead of canoes, were used at an Indian funeral on Lake Michigan, when Joseph Cornstalk was buried. The water procession was from Beaver island to Garden island.

Five thousand Turners from all parts of the country went into camp at Cincinnati, where the annual turnfest of their national organization opened.

Ralph C. Brandreth, son of a millionaire pill manufacturer, and Miss Edith Armstrong were married in a New York hospital propper up on pillows after being in an auto wreck. The bride would not hear of having the wedding postponed.

Mrs. Howard Gould covered her face with her hands and sobbed when witnesses at the trial of her separation suit told of her profanity and intoxication.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland testified that the story sold by Broughton Brandenburg to the New York Times purporting to have been written by her husband was false and the signature forged.

An attempt was made to burn the home of Mayor Nevin of Bellefontaine, O., by throwing a bottle of blazing kerosene through a window.

U. Sorenson, an amateur aviator of Berwyn, Neb., fell 3,500 feet, landed in a sitting position and was not hurt.

The United Norwegian Lutheran church, in convention at Des Moines, Ia., voted to raise $1,000,000 for a celebration of their twenty-fifth anniversary in 1914.

Burglars who were experts on silk, judging from their selections, robbed the store of a Glanville dry goods company in Iowa of $2,000 worth of the fabric.

No news has been received from the Roosevelt hunting party, which left Naivasha, East Africa, for the Sotik district ten days ago.

The secret service department has discovered a five dollar counterfeit bill, said to be one of the crudest ever put out.

The first public view of the much-talked-of Curtiss flying machine will be had in New York, when it is expected that Mr. Curtiss will operate it.

The Detroit baseball team was received in the east room of the White House by President Taft.

Justice Gaynor of Brooklyn has granted a new writ of habeas corpus on application of counsel for Harry K. Thaw who again seeks release from the Matteawan insane asylum.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland was called to the witness stand in the trial of Broughton Brandenburg, a magazine writer, who sold a story to a New York newspaper purporting to have been written by the late president.

Officers who arrested the Ohio "Black Hand" members have received letters threatening them with death if they do not let up in their investigations.

STRANGLED TO DEATH

PARTLY DECOMPOSED BODY OF A YOUNG LADY FOUND.

The Body, Which Was Packed in a Dilapidated Trunk, Believed to be Gen. Sigel's Granddaughter.

New York City.—Elizabeth Sigel, daughter of Paul Sigel of this city, and granddaughter of the illustrious Franz Sigel, the German warrior who enlisted his services with the Union army during the civil war, is, according to all indication, the victim of one of the most sordid murders in the history of New York. If she is not the victim, the police are confronted with a remarkable series of coincidental facts.

Taken from a trunk in a room of a Chinaman above a chop suey restaurant in the Tenderloin, the body, in a state of decomposition which makes identification difficult, lies in the morgue, while detectives are collecting the threads of a tangled story involving the girl and her associations with Chinese. An envelope addressed to the girl, found in the room where the body lay, a locket bearing her initials, her disappearance on June 10, and a note found in the room, signed "Elsie," all seem to indicate that Franz Sigel's granddaughter was murdered. The body was partially stripped of its clothing, tied with ropes, wrapped in a faded blue blanket and crammed into a dilapidated old trunk, where it lay for a week at least before the odor crept through the building, arousing the suspicions of the phlegmatic proprietor of the restaurant below, who summoned the police and instituted an investigation.

Sun Leong, proprietor of the restaurant, who also conducted the rooming house above, disappeared shortly after the discovery of the murder, adding further to the mystery. The case has many unusual features, notable among which is the fact that a Chinaman has been known to call at the Sigel home, presumably with the sanction of the parents. Elizabeth, or Elsie, was 20 years old, and was greatly interested in work among Chinese.

Later.—Mrs. Paul Sigel, when shown the jewelry found in the trunk containing the body of the murdered girl in a Chinese rooming house in Eighth avenue, identified it as that worn by her daughter Elsie. A woman settlement worker in the meantime had identified the underwear as that worn by the girl.

WRIGHT BOYS GET MEDALS

Entire Population of Dayton, O., Turn Out and Celebrate the Event—Presentation Impressive.

Dayton, O.—Wilbur and Orrville Wright, the aviators, have received the medals awarded them by act of congress, by the legislature of Ohio, and by their home city of Dayton. One hundred and twenty thousand people, the entire population of Dayton, celebrated the event.

Gen. James Allen, chief signal officer, representing Secretary of War Dickinson, presented the national medals; Gov. Judson Harmon of Ohio the Ohio medals, and Mayor E. E. Burkhart of Dayton the local medals. The presentation ceremony, which was held in the fair grounds, was impressive. Behind the Wrights, on rising tiers of seats, sat 2,500 school children, dressed in red, white and blue, and arranged to represent an American flag. Troops and brass bands gave a military aspect to the imemnse throng.

Beside the aeroplanists sat Miss Katherine Wright, their sister; Bishop Milton Wright, the father, who delivered the invocation, and other members of the Wright family. Others on the platform were Lieut. Lahm of the army signal corps; Carlos Garcia Velez, the Cuban minister. Baron Kogo Takahira, the Japanese ambassador, who was present at the opening, was suddenly called to Washington before the conclusion.

LARGER EMPLOYMENT OF MEN

Advance Made in Industrial Activity and Business Confidence Is Fully Maintained.

New York City.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

The advance recently made in industrial activity and business confidence is fully maintained. From the leading cities come advices of wide wholesale and retain distribution, larger employment of labor, additional work for contractors and builders, increased demand for manufacturing materials, and satisfactory advance fall sales.

Broadening of demand from the railroads has become a feature in the markets for iron and steel, and this development strengthens the general feeling of optimism regarding the future outlook. Orders for equipment from the transporting companies already comprise a liberal tonnage, and further substantial business will shortly be placed.

Murdered Four of His Relatives.

Salt Lake City, Utah.—Dan Tso Ac, a 17-year-old Navajo Indian boy, pleaded guilty in the United States district court to the charge of murdering four of his relatives several months ago at Aneath, in a remote part of the state.

Killed in Balloon Accident.

St. Petersburg.—Court Chamberlain Palitzin was killed, his wife was fatally injured and two other persons suffered severe injuries in a balloon accident here.

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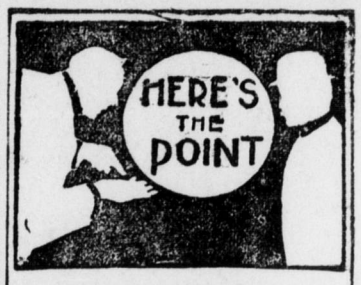

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DEEDS OF J. FRANKLIN BELL

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MAJOR GENERAL J. FRANKLIN BELL

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WASHINGTON. — President Taft has reappointed Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell as chief of the general staff, United States army. Gen. Bell has held this office for some years, and it is understood that at the end of another year of service in the position, he will be succeeded by Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood.

Some second Kipling should write of one of the deeds of J. Franklin Bell. The general went over to the Philippines as a first lieutenant of the Seventh calavry. He had not been in the islands long before he was put in command of a volunteer force composed almost wholly of regulars whose terms of enlistment had expired, but who were willing to take on a short term of duty to help in the clearing up of the work which they aided in starting.

Back in one of the provinces was a band of Tagalogs who had given the government forces all kinds of trouble. One of their chief villages was "located," and Gen. Bell with his following of old campaigners took the trail for its capture. The commanding officer had been through campaigns against the Sioux, the Apaches, and other tribes of the mountains and plains, and taken more than one leaf from the book of knowledge of savage warfare.

Guides led the force to the vicinity of the Tagalog village. Night fell and the Tagalogs were all unsuspicious of the approach of the white enemy. At three o'clock in the morning, when sleep always hangs heavy on the eyes, Bell led his men toward the village. The Tagalogs had sentinels posted along an outlying line. After the manner of the people of the plains the soldiers crept silently between the pickets, only one of whom was vigilant enough to detect the presence of the enemy. He was silenced before he had a chance to startle the air with a cry or a shot.

Straight into the village went Bell at the head of his men. Dawn streaks were beginning to show in the sky, but the warriors were asleep past the ordinary waking, for were not the sentinels posted, and were they not bound by every tradition of tribal honor to be awake and watchful?

Lieut. Bell had given his men orders. The village was cordoned with troops and there wasn't a mousehole of escape. Bell has a whimsical humor. In the very heart of the Tagalog village was an old muzzle-loading brass cannon, a trophy taken by the Tagalogs from the Spaniards of another day, and which the natives were hoping to use against the equally hated Americans. Bell detailed a loading party of three men. The three became boys again, and they rammed the piece full of powder and grass wadding, after the manner of loading a Fourth of July cannon on the village green in the home land.

The light of coming day was strong enough for the conducting of operations. A lanyard was pulled and the brazen piece roared out its reveille. The sound of it shook the foundations of the Tagalog huts; it roused the warrior sleepers as would the cracking of doomsday. They came armed, but naked to the fray. The Tagalogs looked on bayonet points and down gun barrels and surrender came instanter.

Gen. J. Franklin Bell is the youngest officer who ever held the position of chief of staff. He is a genial general and he is willing to talk when he properly may on the subjects touching his profession. As the joker put it, he is a Bell who knows when to ring off. He avoids the sins of silence and of speech, wherein he shows that he is wiser in his generation than some of his predecessors were in their generation.

When his promotion came the chief of staff jumped from a captaincy to a brigadier generalship, and his tremendous rank stride did not bring forth one word of criticism from soldier or civilian. Since then he has become a major general. The army officers who were jumped said that Bell earned his promotion, and that if other promotions were, like his, based solely on service quality, there would be no heart burnings under the blouses.

When the Seventh cavalry, in which Gen. Bell was then a lieutenant, reached the Philippines, the Spanish troops were still in possesion, for Dewey had reduced the fleet, but not Manila city and its immediate defenses. Information was wanted concerning the Spanish earthworks. Lieut. Bell volunteered to get it. He didn't tell any one how he was going to get it. His method was daring and novel.

Under cover of the darkness he went to the water front, stripped off his clothes and plunged in. He is a powerful swimmer. On that night he swam the entire distance around the bay, landing now and then to get a closer look at the enemy's waterfront fortifications. He did this unseen of any sentinel. If discovery had come it meant almost certain death to the swimmer. He came back to his starting point with full knowledge of the strength of the Spaniards in heavy guns, and when the time for the assault came, the information was of priceless service.

Gen. Bell was called on while in the Philippines to end the war in Batangas. He ended it, and in ending it he took the only course possible—a course that the civilians at a distance from the fighting denounced as altogether too severe. Bell was called a second Weyler, and a second duke of Alva, but when full knowledge came of his operations and of the craft and horrid cruelty of the natives whom he was fighting, criticism died. Of his experience and of the criticism he said in a letter to a friend:

"Knowing my disposition and kindly feeling toward the natives full well, you will have no difficulty in understanding that the necessity for severe measures has been a source of distress to me. The only consolation I can derive is by keeping my thoughts on the end and object in view. When one has worked faithfully, conscientiously, and unselfishly for his country four years, without relaxation or rest, it is somewhat discouraging, not to say distressing, to find that even some of his own countrymen appear to have no confidence in his motives, judgment or integrity."

There is no use in mincing words; Gen. Bell is considered one of the most daring and dashing officers in the American service. He wears a medal of honor for charging "single-handed and alone," a body of armed Filipinos. He was shot at repeatedly from every quarter, but in army parlance: "They didn't get him," but he got seven of them, not dead, but alive, and he led back to the American lines, his septet of prisoners, all cowering under his pointed pistol, though every man jack of them was armed.

If war were to come there is no army doubt, although he is far from being the ranking officer of the service, that Gen. Bell would be given the chief command of the field forces.

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It needs neither the bearing nor the uniform of Lieut. Gen. Adna R. Chaffee (retired), to show that he is a soldier. You can see it in his face. His expression is at once mild and aggressive, and the eye is purposeful. Gen. Chaffee's name comes most readily to the lips when one is asked to name a typical American soldier.

The former chief of staff of the army was once private in the ranks. For two years he was an enlisted man, serving in the regulars. He joined in 1861, choosing the cavalry arm of the service, and to it he remained faithful through all the years of his duty. He is one of the finest riders that the army claims.

There have been many stories of Japanese spies who have been found taking notes of American army operations and equipment. The Japs got their first object lesson in the way American soldiers do things from Gen. Chaffee. That object lesson doubtless has had some influence in modifying the thought which the orientals held that they could whip the Americans out of hand. Gen. Chaffee was in command of the expedition which went to the relief of the beleaguered embassies at Peking. Japanese officers and men saw him there. The general won a fame in China which is not confined to the American continent.

The generals of Europe have given testimony that Adna R. Chaffee is a great soldier. Orders to take command of the Chinese expedition reached Gen. Chaffee while he was at Nagasaki on board a steamer which was to take him to the Philippines. The order was unexpected, and the general had practically no chance for campaign preparations. He was to go into a strange land, to lead an expedition against a strange people, and not only was it expected of him that he be successful, but that success be won quickly, for the lives of many Americans were in danger within sight of the walls of the "Forbidden City."

The general arrived at Tien-tsin too late to take part in the battle in which the brave Maj. Liscum of the Ninth infantry lost his life. Not only was the American soldier spurred to quick marching action by the knowledge of the imminent peril of the Americans at Peking, but he was spurred by the knowledge that the soldiers of other nations were to take part in the relief expedition, and he wished the men of his own country to show themselves worthy in the sight of the men of other countries.

They did show themselves worthy, and they responded to the call of their commander with an alacrity that made the American leaders instead of followers in that march beset with difficulties and dangers almost unparalleled in modern warfare.

There are men in the army to-day who firmly believe that Gen. Chaffee did not sleep an hour during the march to Peking. The soldiers who made the march declare that the nights in China are black; that it is impossible to see anything at all without the aid of artificial light, and these in the bivouacs of the soldiers were forbidden for precautionary reasons. There was no definite knowledge of the forces that might be in the path of the expedition, and no one knew what surprises the night might cover. Gen. Chaffee, his soldiers say, constituted himself a sentinel who refused to be relieved from guard, and through the nights he was alert and watching, and through the days he was alert and marching.

There are stories by the scores of men who are supposed to bear charmed lives. The hero of the book of fiction sheds bullets as a slate roof sheds rain, and in the reading of it one finds it hard to believe that any truth could be stranger than this fiction. If Gen. Chaffee doesn't bear a charmed life he has the largest allowance of luck that has fallen to any one man.

Gen. Chaffee has been four times brevetted for bravery. Two of the brevet commissions came to him for gallantry in the civil war service, and two for gallantry in battles with the Indians. He once led a cavalry charge over rough and precipitous bluffs, where a cavalry charge was thought to be a feat well-nigh impossible.

He rode at the head of his men straight into a body of armed Indians, scattering them, but not until they had poured volley after volley into Chaffee's oncoming command. That charge gave the soldier his brevet commission as a lieutenant colonel.

When the Spanish-American war broke out Chaffee was made a brigadier general of volunteers. He was in the very thick of the fighting in front of Santiago. Capt. Arthur Lee, a British army officer detailed by his government to watch the field operations in Cuba, attached himself to the headquarters of Gen. Chaffee. Capt. Lee wrote a story about the campaign in which he paid to Gen. Chaffee the highest tribute that it is possible for one soldier to pay to another.

Pennsylvania Happenings

Philadelphia.—Following the attack made by Clark Williams, New York State Superintendent of Banking, upon the system of conducting State banks, the National Association of Credit Men profited by his statements and took action looking toward the passage of a uniform law patterned as nearly as possible after that of New York State, under which Mr. Williams works.

Pittsburg.—Eight bridges spanning the Allegheny River will be raised, six of them rebuilt, if the recommendations made by Major H. C. Newcomer of the local United States engineering department are approved by the three engineers just appointed by Secretary Dickenson of the War Department to consider the matter.

Harrisburg.—Through counsel of the railroads and the attorneys representing the claimants, 179 of what are popularly known as the yellow pine reparation cases, were adjusted on the same basis as the Miller a. d Green settlement of March 18 last, which was 67 per cent. of the provable shipments. The amount involved in the settlement will approximate $200,000.

Pittsburg.—Over 10,000 skilled workmen, members of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers, who are employed by the American Sheet & Tin Plate Company, will quit work on the night of June 30, at which time the "open shop" order of the company becomes effective. Many unskilled workmen will also be affected.

Pittsburg.—John Francies, warden of the Western Penitentiary, has advertised for bids, which will be received on Saturday, June 26, for furnishing beef for the prison for the year beginning July 1, 1900. Nearly two hundred tons will be required. The consumption of beef alone amounts to about 6,750 pounds a week. Chuck, plate and brisket are used in about equal quantities.

McKeesport.—W. C. Cronemeyer, father of the tinplate industry and former president of the Chamber of Commerce of McKeesport, reported to the police that he had received a Black Hand letter. Mr. Cronemeyer says he was scheduled to die June 10 unless he placed $500 in a tin can and to be placed beneath the porch at his home. He forgot all about the letter until he happened to run across it. Dozens of McKeesport people have received such letters recently.

Pittsburg.—Millions of dollars will be expended by the railroads during the last six months of this year for supplies. This is due to the fact that the vast amount of supplies stored in the division warehouses has been exhausted and special committees have complied reports showing that those on hand at present are less than for many years. Supply dealers report a big improvement in their line, and are now negotiating with the railroads for large orders to be delivered during the next six months.

McKeesport.—Announcement was made that the McKeesport Tinplate Company will spend about $2,000,000 in the construction of ten new mills, practically doubling its present capacity. In order to provide for this and other contemplated improvements the company has purchased about two acres of land adjoining its plant in Portvue. The fires were lighted at No. 3, which is the fourth furnace started up by the National Rolling Mills at McKeesport within the last two weeks. It will provide immediate employment for 150 men and will be the indirect means of starting several hundred others to work in the rolling mills and tube works.

Connellsville.—Coke production in the Connellsville region recently has beaten all previous records. The total production in the Connellsville and Lower Connellsville regions amounted to 298,486 tons in one week. The H. C. Frick Company sent out orders for putting in blast 2,400 more ovens. The independent operators also put a number of additional ovens in blast. The average run for the plants was five days. Some were in operation six days and several were going full the entire seven days. Generally throughout the region there is renewed activity. Repairs are being made, yards are being cleaned up and preliminaries being attended to preparatory to the starting up of more coke plants. Some of the repair shops are working overtime. The Frick car shops at Everson are working overtime getting out mine cars. Several of the Connellsville manufacturing companies are busy on new supplies for independent companies.

Harrisburg.—No details of policemen have been made by the State Police Department yet. They are expected to be made the latter part of the month when things get more settled and the troopers are well fixed in their barracks at Pottsville.

Harrisburg.—An unusual complaint was filed at the office of the State Railroad Commission recently. It came from J. D. Maloney, a scrap iron dealer in Pittsburg who objected to the rates charged for hauling scrap from Pittsburg to Allegheny.

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FRANK L. MILLER of Grove.

United Boys Brigade Encampment.

While enjoying an auto ride up Portage on Monday in Hon. Josiah Howard's auto, with W. A. Dalrymple at the wheel, we noted many improvements being made between Emporium and Sizerville, especially at Sizerville, where Hon. F. C. Councilman has made extensive improvements on the popular Sizer Springs Hotel, providing first-class accommodations for the public and built up a large and rapidly increasing demand for the popular mineral water flowing from the never failing spring. His large outlay will some day, in the near future, return to him in three-fold. We also noticed how neatly the property of Wm. R. Sizer looked, every indication of prosperity and strict attention to business. The post office is located in Mr. Sizer's store and is ably managed by Mrs. Sizer, as postmistress.

After viewing the large and beautiful body of land located between Sizer's store and Robt. McDowell's, we joined W. H. Howard, Maj. B. Th. Bliss and Capt. W. B. Powell, of Ridgway, and examined the land decided upon for the United Boys Brigade Encampment to take place August 11th to 18th Maj. Bliss, who is commander of Third Battalion of Fifth Regiment, in conjunction with Capt. Powell, who is Adjutant of the Battalion, (in addition to being a graduate of Louisville, Ky., Military Academy,) carefully viewed the grounds and marked out the plans of Camp W. H. Howard. It is fully expected that this annual camp will be very largely attended. In addition to the two companies from Emporium. two or three companies will come from Bradford, one from St. Marys and two or three from Ridgway. The boys will have a big time, nice location and handy to the railroad. All roads will lead to Camp W. H. Howard between Aug. 11th-18th. Don't make any engagements that may interfere with your enjoying the Boys Brigade Encampment.

While coming home we noticed County Treasurer Chas. J. Howard's well kept farm—the old Delos Burlingame farm—and all looked inviting. Farmer Howard enjoys his country home and his family also.

Passing by the old John Jackson farm, we were glad to see that John L. Johnson was busy erecting a barn as large as all out doors. Stick to the farm and you will wear diamonds some day and be happy too. Good for you, John.

Jurors for July.

The following jurors were drawn to serve at the next term of court, commencing on Monday, July 12th, 1909:

GRAND JURORS.

1	Blumle, F. X.	Farmer,	Shippen
2	Crum, R. M.	Laborer,	Gibson
3	Cole, A. A.	Laborer,	Grove
4	Chandler, Jasper	Laborer,	Shippen
5	Cummings, John	Gent,	Emporium
6	Coleman, H. E.	Laborer,	Driftwood
7	Ebersole, Lincoln	Carpenter,	Lumber
8	Farr, A. H.	Laborer,	Emporium
9	Fisher, Henry	Poolroom,	Driftwood
10	Flemming, H. C.	Bookkeeper,	Driftwood
11	Housler, Ernest	Farmer,	Shippen
12	Halderman, Lee	Drayman,	Emporium
13	Hill, Geo. E.	Farmer,	Gibson
14	Hackett, T. N.	Filer,	Emporium
15	Ives, David	Laborer,	Gibson
16	Miller, J. F.	Farmer,	Gibson
17	McQuay, R. R.	Clerk,	Emporium
18	McManus, Robert	Farmer,	Shippen
19	Norris, Thomas	Merchant,	Emporium
20	Spence, Wade	Farmer,	Shippen
21	Swesey, Frank	Farmer,	Shippen
22	Tompkins, Fred	Laborer,	Emporium
23	Viner, Edward	Laborer,	Emporium
24	Vogt, A. F.	Merchant,	Emporium

TRAVERSE JURORS.

1	Andrus, Jacob	Farmer,	Shippen
2	Andrews, A. F.	Laborer,	Emporium
3	Bissell, Dan.	Laborer,	Emporium
4	Barr, C. W.	Farmer,	Gibson
5	Brooks, V. A.	Surveyor,	Gibson
6	Blinzler, John	Farmer,	Shippen
7	Batchelder, G. W.	Laborer,	Grove
8	Belden, Sylvester	Farmer,	Shippen
9	Barker, Merrick	Laborer,	Shippen
10	Collins, B. J.	Farmer,	Gibson
11	Crosby, J. R.	Laborer,	Gibson
12	Colwell, William	Farmer,	Grove
13	Councilman, P. E.	Bottler,	Portage
14	Cummings, Charles	Clerk,	Emporium
15	Doll, Amandus	Farmer,	Shippen
16	Daugherty, D. W.	Laborer,	Grove
17	Fulton, Troxy	Painter,	Gibson
18	Farrell, Silas	Laborer,	Portage
19	Fry, J. H.	Shoemaker,	Gibson
20	Farrell, William	Bartender,	Emporium
21	Gaskill, Willis	Laborer,	Shippen
22	Gore, Geo. C.	Laborer,	Gibson
23	Haggerty, Samuel	Farmer,	Shippen
24	Halderman, F.	Laborer,	Emporium
25	Heath, Oscar,	Farmer,	Shippen
26	Howard, John	Bookkeeper,	Emporium
27	Joyce, Thomas	Farmer,	Shippen
28	Kenley, H. C.	Laborer,	Shippen
29	King, Charles	Farmer,	Shippen
30	Lechtner, Joseph	Merchant,	Emporium
31	Lorshbough, Brooks.	Farmer,	Grove
32	Lurcore, M. F.	Clerk,	Emporium
33	Lord, Alla.	Laborer,	Lumber
34	Lightner, H. B.	Clerk,	Gibson
35	Logan, F. D.	Liveryman,	Emporium
36	Mason, J. W.	Farmer,	Gibson
37	Metzger, Geo. Jr.	Merchant,	Emporium
38	Miller, Clarence	Laborer,	Gibson
39	Minard, Mose	Laborer,	Emporium
40	Market, George	Farmer,	Shippen
41	Nyhart, J. G.	Farmer,	Shippen
42	Overhiser, M.	Merchant,	Emporium
43	Reed, James	Farmer,	Shippen
44	Thomas, J. M.	Farmer,	Shippen
45	Vrooman, W. S.	Laborer,	Driftwood
46	VanWert, Steve	Farmer.	Shippen
47	Wheaton, David	Laborer,	Emporium
48	Wheaton, W. H.	Laborer,	Grove

Just received a new line of men's ants at C. B. Howard & Co's.

The Persevering Guesser.

"It is amazing what perseverance will achieve," said an Englishman "Even misdirected perseverance has achieved marvels. There is the case of Robson, the great Notts cricketer. Robson during his Australian tour was determined one sorching afternoon that his side shouldn't do the hard work of fielding. Well, when the Australian captain spun the coin Robson shouted, 'Woman!' Then, seeing that heads lay uppermost, instead of acknowledging defeat Robson said, with perseverance and nonchalance:

"'Well, we'll go in.'

"'But—er—I thought,' said the puzzled Australian—'you see, I don't quite know the English meaning of "woman."'

"'Then,' said Robson gallantly, 'we'll toss again.'

"The Australian made a second toss. Robson called heads, and tails came up. The ordinary man would at this point have surrendered in despair, but not so Robson.

"'Honors are now easy,' said he, with a pleasant smile. 'On with the rubber.'

"The Australian a third time flipped the coin, and, having at last called the toss correctly, the persevering Robson led in his side to the shady benches."

An Unofficial Order.

Thomas, tenth Earl of Dundonald, at his death vice admiral in the English navy, tells in his "Autobiography of a Seaman" of an incident on board the Hind, on which he served as midshipman. The pet of the ship was a parrot, the aversion of the boatswain, whose whistle the bird learned to imitate exactly.

"One day a party of ladies paid us a visit aboard. By the usual means of a 'whip' on the yardarm several had been hoisted on deck. The chain had descended for another. Scarcely had its fair freight been lifted out of the boat alongside when the parrot piped, 'Let go!'

"The order was instantly obeyed and the unfortunate lady, instead of being comfortably seated on deck, was soused in the sea. Luckily for her, the men were on the watch and quickly pulled her out, and, luckily for the parrot, the boatswain was on shore or this unseasonable assumption of the boatswain's functions might have ended tragically for the bird."

How Prisoners Converse.

A man who was sent to jail recently for three days for a small offense was greatly impressed with the precautions taken to prevent the prisoners engaging in conversation. There seemed to be warders everywhere, and no one was allowed to utter a word.

On the Sunday he was in the church the psalm given was the "Old Hundredth." Beside him were two old jailbirds, and instead of the orthodox words beginning "All people that on earth do dwell" this pair sang a hymn of their own in conversational style, which went something as follows:

First convict sings:

"How long are you in for?
I am doing sixty days.
I nearly broke a copper's jaw.
Sing low or else they'll maybe hear."

Second convict replies:

"You are a lucky pie-can.
I've got twel-elve months to serve.
Tried to break into a house.
Some'dy must have gi'en me away."

By this method they exchanged histories during the singing.—Glasgow News.

Too Humiliating.

A certain small boy of six is rapidly assuming manly ways. Not long ago his "room" at school planned an entertainment. There were to be little songs and recitations and a mysterious grab bag. The small boy waxed eloquent concerning the coming glories of this show, and more especially the part he would take.

On the morning of the entertainment his mother suggested that he should take his little sister, aged four, with him. He hung his head.

"Don't you want to take her?" his mother asked.

"No, I don't," he answered.

"And why not?"

The reply came quickly.

"'Cause there ain't none of th' other fellers has to bring their children!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

No Acid Needed.

Weary William Rhoades—Say, Happy, wot's de difference between us an' new fall cider?

Happy Harry—Search me.

Weary William Rhoades—Dey don't have ter put no acid in us ter keep us frum workin'."

At which the dry hay in the mow burst into a furious flame.—Exchange.

Getting His Straight.

"I wouldn't make a confidante of May," said the conceited fellow, with a self satisfied smirk. "She told me you said you were crazy to marry me. Of course she's no friend if"—

"No," interrupted Miss Wise, "and she's not even a good reporter. I didn't say I 'was,' but 'would be.'"—Catholic Standard and Times.

Noiseless.

Wife—Would it please you, dear, if I learned another language? Husband—Yes, it would delight me infinitely. Wife—Well, which one shall I study? Husband—The sign language.—Smart Set.

A Woman's Secret.

Biggs—There goes a woman with a past. Boggs—Yes, and there are about twenty years more of it than she is willing to own up to.—New York Journal.

Great is the fact that our interests gradually take a wider scope, allowing more scope for the healing power of compensation.—Dinah Mulock Craik.

Chronic Rheumatism.

This is the variety of rheumatism that usually attacks the larger joints, knees, hips and shoulders. It is aggravated by cold and damp weather, and for this reason a man afflicted with it can often foretell changes in the weather. Chamberlains liniment applied freely and with vigorous rubbing relieves the pain and makes sleep and rest possible. It will also effect a cure, but will not prevent a reoccurrence of the disease. For sale at Taggart's.

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A guarantee is contained in each box of Sexine Pills, so that any person needing a remedy for any form of nerve weakness, and to produce perfect and restful sleep, can buy these pills without risking a cent. These great nerve and manhood builders are sold by R. C. Dodson, druggist, Emporium, Pa., where they sell all the principal remedies and do not substitute.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Contributions invited. That which you would like to see in this department, let us know by postal card, letter or personally.

Master Leon Dininny, of this place, is the guest of relatives at Knoxville, Tioga county.

Harold Seger has returned to his home at this place from Buffalo, where he has been attending school.

Ralph Schnee returned to this place last Monday, after spending a few days at his home at Montgomery, Pa.

Mrs. Helen Metzger and daughter, Miss Marguerite, are guests of the Misses Abbie and Grace Metzger, at Starkey, N. Y.

Miss Viella VanGordan, of Renovo, was guest of Miss Christy MacDonald at her home on West Fourth street, on Wednesday.

Miss Martha Swartz, of this place, departed for Buffalo last Sunday, where she will spend the summer with relatives.

Thos. Gallagher, accompanied by Asa Murray, attended the meeting of the baggage men, of this division, at Renovo on Tuesday.

George E. Fetter did the duties of baggageman at Broad street station, during the absence of Mr. Murray on Tuesday.

Miss Lillian Heilman departed for Denver, Col., on Tuesday afternoon, where she will spend the summer in study.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Deike and children, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Helen Taggart and family, returned to their home at Kittanning last Tuesday.

Miss Rena Jordan, who has been the guest of relatives at Driftwood for a few days, returned to her home at this place, on Tuesday.

Prof. Ezra B. Smith, of Lock Haven, Pa., spent several days in town last week visiting his many friends here. During his stay at this place he was a guest at the home of Prothonotary Leavitt and family.

The young ladies from various places in the county, who have been attending seminer school at this place, departed for their homes last Friday. We wonder how some of our popular young men will get along "all by their lonesome."

Z. A. Jones, D. D., (col.) of Rock Hill, S. C., preached in the Baptist Church last Sunday evening. The sermon was a logical and scientific exposition of John 3:4; "The Manner of the new Birth." Rev. Jones is Educational Secretary of the Friendship Normal and Industrial College, of Rock Hill, S. C. He is traveling through Penn'a endeavoring to raise funds for the Institution.

Mrs. Chas. L. Butler and daughter Beatrice, went to Erie, on Monday, to attend the graduation exercises of Villa Marie Academy on Tuesday. Miss Mabel Cecelia, their eldest daughter, is a member of the graduation class. She made remarkable progress, having entered the school two years behind the other members. We congratulate the bright little lady.

Rev. Z. A. Jones, D. D., of Rock Hill, S. C., was guest of Reuben Fountain and family, West Allegany Avenue, the past week. The Rev. gentleman was here in the interest of the Friendship Normal Industrial College, a school for the religious and industrial training of Negro girls and boys. We hope he was successful for the south needs many such institutions for the up-lifting of the colored race. The Rev. gentleman preached to a large congregation at First Baptist Church, last Sunday evening.

H. Clint Olmsted, of Bradford, made a business trip to this place last Friday.

Will Schweikart, of this place, was guest of friends at Driftwood last Sunday.

Miss Nina Hertig and brother Frank, of this place, are visiting relatives at Keating, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zwald, of this place, were guests of relatives at Ridgway last Sunday.

Warner Judd, of this place, was guest of friends at Driftwood last Friday evening and Saturday.

Mrs. Hiram Evans, of this place, departed for Buffalo, last Friday where she is visiting relatives.

Eugene Metz who has finished his course at Clarion Normal has returned to his home at this place.

Miss Myrtle Lloyd has returned to her home at this place, after a pleasant visit with relatives at Shamokin.

Miss Mabel Metz, of Port Allegany, was guest at the home of F. B. Metz and family, the last of the week.

Dr. L. R. Felt and Jay P. Felt went to Philadelphia last Saturday evening to visit their father who is in the city.

Walton Gates, one of Coudersport's prosperous business men, called on friends at this place last Saturday evening.

Mrs. Provins and son Willis and Mrs. Rose Lupole, of Olean, were guests at the home of Joshua Bair and family last Sunday.

Miss Velma Frappier, the bright little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Frappier, was a business caller at the PRESS office on Saturday last.

Miss Mattie M. Collins returned last Friday evening from Bethleham, Pa., where she attended the meeting of the State Educational Association, of whice she was Vice President.

Mrs. Jasper Harris departed for Syracuse on Monday morning, to be present at the commencement exercises of the Syracuse High School and to witness the graduation of her sister.

Misses Lena and Julia Bair and Mayme Cummings and Ellen Auchu, accompanied by Willis Provins, of Olean, autoed to St. Marys last Sunday.

Lee Felt who has just returned from Brown Preparatory School at Philadelphia went to Hamilton, N. Y.. last Sunday to take examination to enter college.

W. C. Blair, wife and son Wells, of Kushequa, Pa., drove to Emporium last Saturday evening and were guests at the home of C. A. Blair and wife at East Emporium.

Miss Alice Montgomery, of this place, niece of Hon. B. W. Green, departed for Cornville, Arizona, last Sunday afternoon, having been called there by the serious illness of her father.

Frank McCloskey, formerly of this place but now superintendent of the Novelty Incandescent Light Co., at Emporium was in town yesterday on business.—Wednesday's Ridgway Daily Democrat.

Miss Lora McQuay, departed for Clarion last Saturday morning where she will visit friends for a short time before going to the Assembly Grounds at Chautauqua Lake, where she will study for the summer.

G. L. Specht, of Roscoe, N. Y., is a guest at the home of his uncle, Chas. Specht and wife, on Moore Hill. Mr. Specht has just returned from Mt. Clemmens, Mich., where he has been receiving treatment for rheumatism.

Miss Alice Quigley who has been attending Clarion Normal school since the closing of our schools, has returned to her home. Miss Quigley has been engaged to teach in our borough schools next term.

New concrete walks are being laid in all parts of town. Good.

W. S. Walker, of Austin, was a business caller at this place, on Wednesday.

Frank H. Pearsoll has completed the foundation for his residence on Broad street.

Miss Etta Holcomb, of this place, was a business caller at Buffalo this week.

Mrs. I. K. Hockley returned home on Wednesday afternoon from Williamsport.

Hon. John McDonald, Supervisor of P. & E. R. R., transacted business in Emporium on Tuesday.

Miss Ella McCarthy of Westport, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCarthy on Monday.

E. D. White has returned to his home at this place, after spending a few weeks with relatives at Lebanon.

Messrs. F. P. Rentz, F. H. Dininny and Joseph Burnside took in the excursion to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Thos. Willis, of Sayre, was guest at the home of F. H. Dininny and family, on Fifth street, last Monday.

Roy Burlew was a business caller at St. Marys on Wednesday, in the interest of the Novelty Incandescent Lamp Co.

Miss Grace Walker, of this place, was guest of her sister Mrs. Sykes at Buffalo, last week.

Misses Helen Walker, of Scranton, and Ruth Sykes, of Buffalo, are guests at the Walker home on Fourth street.

J. Kerr Hemphill, formerly of Emporium, was married May 25th to a Rib Lake, Wis., lady. Congratulations, "Curley."

Geo. Pepper and wife we are informed will remain at Watkins, N. Y., owing to the feeble condition of Mrs. Pepper's mother.

Carrol Mumford who recently returned from school at Williamsport, has accepted a position as day clerk in the Goodyear Hotel, at Austin.

John Dodge and wife of Toledo, Ohio, arrived last Saturday to visit their mother, Mrs. M. H. Dodge, on Walnut street.

Mrs. Lyman, who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. F. F. Day for some time returned to her home in Potter county on Monday.

Mrs. J. P. Creighton and children returned last Friday to their home at this place, after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Driftwood.

Mrs. Alfred Nelson and her mother, Mrs. Ahlberg, spent a very pleasant day last Sunday visiting at the home of Wm. Hathaway and family at the Still House Run Farm, Cameron.

Mrs. O. B. Barnes and son are visiting Mr. Barnes at Amherstburg, Canada, where he is employed with a powder company. The PRESS follows them.

Mr. Joseph Kaye left on Sunday for for the Pacific coast, where his wife is visiting. Miss Alice Montgomery accompanied him a portion of her long journey to Arizona to see her father, who is very sick.

M. A. Rishell, of Clintondale, has been the guest of his son, C. W. Rishell and family, West Fifth street, for several days. Mr. Rishell is one of Clinton's most excellent citizens.

Miss Margaret Murray, one of R. Kuehne's popular clerks, is enjoying the week, visiting friends at Buffalo.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morse and little son, returned to their home at Pittsfield, Pa., after spending a week with relatives at this place.

Mrs. B. W. Green received a postal yesterday from Chicago, informing her that Miss Alice Montgomery had arrived there and was being splendidly entertained by her friends, Fritz Frank and Jas. Murphy.

Another foreign advertiser orders one hundred extra copies of the PRESS. The tasty composition and up-to-date styles of type are appreciated. We study to please our advertising patronage and court comparison with the city dailies.

Miss Margaret Weisenfluh, of Emporium, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. George Neidlinger in Van Buren street. She is on her way home from Clarion State Normal, where she took the spring course.—Ridgway Advocate.

Friends of Representative Josiah Howard, of Emporium, called him "the man from Dynamite county" today, (while attending convention) after reading about that million-dollar powder order given to Cameron county for the Isthmus work.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

Samuel Rand of Birmingham, Ala., visited in Emporium over Sunday, guest of the Keystone Powder Company. Mr. Rand was enjoying a brief rest. He is general manager of the Jefferson Powder Company and a pleasant gentleman to meet. Mr. A. C. Blum, Secretary of the Keystone Powder Company, looked to his comfort while here. Mr. Rand left on Wednesday for Sinnamahoning, in charge of Mr. Henry Auchu, to view that excellent plant, leaving yesterday for home.

Rev. Shriner's family, who have been visiting at New Castle for several weeks, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Willis Gaskill and daughter, Miss Ina, Miss Perna Gaskill and Mrs. J. T. Poyer were pleasant PRESS office callers last Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Poyer subscribed for the PRESS and will hereafter read the county news at her home at Williamsport.

Rev. R. Farley Fisher, A. M., pastor of Salem A. M. E. Zion Church, Williamsport, visited in Emporium over Sunday, guest of William Robinson and wife, west Fifth street. Rev. Fisher filled the pulpit of Emporium M. E. Church last Sunday evening. He preached a very able sermon we are informed.

NOTES OF INTEREST.

Fireworks galore, at Meisel's.

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Where did you get that stylish Straw Hat? At C. B. Howard & Co's

Have a few pounds of Prunes and can of Squash for 10c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. S. Swartwood, Fourth street and East Allegbany Avenue.

The ice plant is now in full running order, their delivery wagon making daily deliveries. On Monday they shipped a car load of ice to Sinnamahoning Powder Company.

The kickers on the farm are not so hard to get along with as the kickers in town. On the farm there is the kicking cow, and our long eared friend, the mule, while in town there is the old mossback who wants all the municipal improvements without paying for them. The cow may be sold for beef, the mule traded for a shot gun, but nothing but a funeral will get rid of the town kicker, remarks one of our exchanges.

Cedar Shingles $4.50 per thousand at C. B. Howard & Co's.

Quick Time.

Last Sunday Mr. Andrew Brady, accompanied by Fred Seger, Bert Forbes and Geo. A. Walker, autoed to Bradford, making the run in two hours and fifteen minutes. They took dinner at Bradford, supper at Austin and arrived in Emporium at nine o'clock.

Making Improvements.

Extensive improvements and alterations are being made at Broad street station. Supt. Coughlin has already proven himself alive to the fact that his division will rank with the best.

Lawn Social

There will be a lawn social at E. J. Roger's, West Creek, Friday evening, July 2d for the benefit of M. E. Church. The public are cordially invited. 2t

Deer Brand Tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

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Felt's Fancy, "	1 90
Pet Grove, "	1 90
Graham, "	95
Rye "	75
Patent Meal "	55
Buckwheat Flour	85
Buckwheat Flour, 10lb sack	35
Coarse Meal per 100,	1 70
Chop Feed, "	1 70
Matchless Egg Maker, per 100	2 10
Sylva Chick Feed, per 100	2 10
Cracked Corn per 100	1 70
Screenings "	1 70
Chicken Wheat "	2 15
Oil Meal "	1 90
Middlings,	1 70
White Middlings,	1 75
Bran,	1 60
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THE LOVES of the LADY ARABELLA

By MOLLY ELLIOT SEAWELL

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SYNOPSIS.

At 14 years of age Admiral Sir Peter Hawkshaw's nephew, Richard Glyn, fell deeply in love at first sight with Lady Arabella Stormont, who spurned his attentions. The lad, an orphan, was given a berth as midshipman on the Ajax by his uncle. Giles Vernon, nephew of Sir Thomas Vernon, became the boy's pal. They attended a theater where Hawkshaw's nephew saw Lady Arabella. Vernon met Philip Overton, next in line for Sir Thomas Vernon's estate. They started a duel which was interrupted. Vernon, Overton and Hawkshaw's nephew found themselves attracted by pretty Lady Arabella. The Ajax in battle defeated French warships in the Mediterranean. Richard Glyn got £2,000 prize money. He was called home by Lady Hawkshaw as he was about to "blow in" his earnings with Vernon. At a Hawkshaw party Glyn discovered that Lady Arabella was a poor but persistent gambler. He talked much with her cousin Daphne. Lady Arabella again showed love for gaming. Later she held Glyn and Overton prisoners, thus delaying the duel. In the Overton-Vernon duel, neither was hurt. Lady Arabella humiliated Richard by her pranks. Richard and Giles shipped on a frigate. Giles was captured by the French. Sir Peter arranged for his exchange. Daphne showed a liking for Glyn, who was then 21 years of age. Giles was released.

CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

"And how I am to live until I get another ship I am at a loss, my boy," Giles cried quite cheerfully. "Two courses are open to me—play and running away with an heiress. Do you know of a charming girl, Dicky, with something under £100,000, who could be reconciled to a penniless lieutenant in his majesty's navy? And remember, she must be as beautiful as the dawn besides, and of good family, and keen of wit—no lunkhead of a woman for me." To this, fate impelled me to reply that Lady Arabella Stormont was still single.

"Faith!" cried Giles, slapping his knee, "she is the girl for me. I always intended to marry her, if only to spite her."

I was sorry I had raked up the embers of his passion of five years before, and attempted to cover my step by saying:

"She is still infatuated with Overton, whom, however, she sees rarely, and that only at the houses of others; but he has ever looked coldly upon her."

"She'll not be coldly looked on by me. And let me see: There is her cousin you used to tell me about—the Carmichael girl—suppose you, Dicky, run away with her; then no two lieutenants in the service will have more of the rhino than we!"

I declare this was the first time I had remembered Daphne's £30,000. She had the same fortune as Lady Arabella. The reflection damped my spirits dreadfully.

Giles saw it directly, and in a moment he had my secret from me. He shouted with delight, and immediately began a grotesque planning for us to run away with the two heiresses. He recalled that the abduction of an heiress was a capital crime, and drew a fantastic picture of us two standing in the prisoners' dock, on trial for our lives, with Lady Arabella and Daphne swearing our lives away, and then relenting and marrying us at the gallows' foot. And this tale, told with the greatest glee, amid laughter and bumpers of hot brandy and water, had a singular effect upon me. It sobered me at once, and suddenly I seemed to see a vision, as Macbeth saw Banquo's ghost, passing before my very eyes—just such a scene as Giles described. Only I got no farther than the spectacle of Giles a prisoner in the dock, on trial for his life. My own part seemed misty and confused, but I saw, instead of the lodging house parlor, a great hall of justice dimly lighted with lamps, the judges in their robes on the bench, one with a black cap on his head, and Giles standing up to receive sentence. I passed into a kind of nightmare, from which I was aroused by Giles whacking me on the back and saying in a surprised voice:

"What ails you, Dicky, boy? You look as if you had seen a ghost. Rouse up here and open your lantern jaws for a glass of brandy and rid yourself of that long face."

I came out of this singular state as quickly as I had gone into it, and, ashamed to show my weakness to Giles, grew merry, carried on the joke about the abduction, and shortly felt like myself, a light-hearted lieutenant of 21. I proposed that we should go to the play the next night—or rather that night, for it was now about four in the morning—and shortly after we tumbled into bed together and slept until late the next day.

Giles and I went to Berkeley Square in the afternoon, professing just to have arrived from Portsmouth. Giles expressed his thanks in the handsomest manner to Sir Peter for his kindness, and made himself, as usual, highly agreeable to Lady Hawkshaw. Neither Lady Arabella nor Daphne were at home, but came in shortly after Giles had left. Lady Arabella made some slighting remark about Giles, as she always did whenever opportunity offered. Daphne was very kind to me, and I gave her to understand privately that I was ready to haul down my flag at the first summons to surrender.

The family from Berkeley Square was going to the play that night, and I mentioned that Giles and I would be there together. And so, just as the playhouse was lighting up, we walked in. After the curtain was up, and when Mrs. Trenchard was making her great speech in "Percy," I motioned Giles to look toward Lady Hawkshaw's box. Her ladyship entered on Sir Peter's arm; his face was very red, and he was growling under his breath, to which Lady Hawkshaw contributed an obligato accompaniment in a sepulchral voice; and behind them, in all the splendor of her beauty, walked Lady Arabella, and last, came sweet, sweet Daphne.

The first glimpse Giles caught of Lady Arabella seemed to renew in an instant the spell she had cast on him five years before. He seemed almost like a madman. He could do nothing but gaze at her with eyes that seemed starting out of his head. He grew pale and then red, and was like a man in a frenzy. It was all I could do to moderate his voice and his looks in that public place. Luckily, Mrs. Trenchard being on the stage, all eyes were, for the time, bent on her.

I hardly knew how we sat the play out. I had to promise Giles a dozen times that the next day I would take him to Berkeley Square. When the curtain went down, he fairly leaped his way out of the playhouse to see Lady Arabella get into the coach.

That was a fair sample of the way he raved for days afterward. He haunted Berkeley Square, where he was welcomed always by Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw, asked to dine frequently, and every mark of favor shown him.

Lady Arabella remained cold and indifferent to him. About that time Overton appeared a little in his old haunts, although much changed and sobered. Neither wounds nor illness

She Suddenly Fell Into My Arms.

had impaired his looks and charms, but rather he had become an object of interest and sympathy from his gallant behavior in the field. Sir Peter, who had always liked him, began to pester him to come to Berkeley Square, which he did a few times because he could not well decline Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw's pressing and friendly invitations. I believed, however, that in spite of his forced composure he felt cruelly abashed before Lady Arabella. She, however, showed an amazing coolness, and even began to be a little kind to Giles, from some obscure motive of her own. I believe every act of her life with regard to men had some reference to her passion for Overton.

All this time, though, from the night of the play, Daphne and I had been secretly happy; for on the very next day, catching her alone, I told her, in plain and seamanlike language, that I loved her, and when she showed a disposition to cut and run, I said to her, very boldly:

"Since you scorn my love, I have the resource that every one of my calling has in these days. I shall soon go to sea, and upon the deck of my ship I can find death, since life is nothing to me without my Daphne's love."

At which, without the least warning, she suddenly fell into my arms, crying:

"You'll break my heart, if you talk in that way!" and I perceived that she was only maneuvering for position.

I do not know exactly what happened next, except I was in that heaven, Daphne's arms, when I looked up and caught the butler and two footmen grinning at me. But it mattered not.

Next morning Daphne and I met in the drawing room, as usual, after breakfast; but what a meeting it was! We had barely time to scuttle back to our chairs when Sir Peter entered with the newspaper, and informed me that the Bellona frigate was being fitted for the West Indies, and he thought he could get me a berth in her, at which I felt myself grow weak in the knees, so great is the power of love.

Presently he went out. Then Daphne and I began to speculate upon Sir Peter's personal equation in our affairs.

"He will never let me marry you," she said. "He will say I am too young."

This depressed me so that I could say nothing in reply. Daphne continued, quite in an offhand manner:

"If we should elope, he would make a great hullabaloo."

This admirable suggestion at once commended itself to me.

"His hullabaloo could not separate us, if we were married," I replied.

"True," said Daphne; "and, after all, he and Lady Hawkshaw as good as eloped, and she was but 18—a year younger than I."

Thus was I supplied with another argument.

I again swear that I had not a thought of Daphne's fortune in all this. I would have taken the dear girl with nothing but the clothes upon her back.

True to his word, Sir Peter worked like a Trojan to get me a berth on the Bellona, and, meaning to do Giles the greatest service in the world, tried likewise for him; and mightily afraid we were that he would soon succeed.

This brought matters to a crisis with Daphne. I mentioned the word "elope" to her again, and she made a great outcry, after the manner of young women, and then began straightway to show me precisely how it might be done, protesting, meanwhile, that she would never, no, never, consent. We both agreed, though, that it was proper we should lay the matter of our marriage before Sir Peter and Lady Hawkshaw; but I saw that Daphne, who was of a romantic turn, had her imagination fired by the notion of an elopement.

"A pair of good horses and a light traveling chaise!" she exclaimed. "If only it were not wrong!"

"No, no! Four horses!" cried I; "and there is nothing wrong in either a two or a four horse chaise."

Daphne clapped her hands.

"A trip to Scotland—I have always longed for Scotland. I know a dozen people who have married in Scotland, and happy marriages, every one of them. But I forbid you, Richard, to think of an elopement."

"We shall set out at midnight; we shall not be missed until morning, and we shall have at least 12 hours' start. Then, at every stage we shall leave something behind, which will insure a broken axle, or a linchpin gone, for our pursuers."

We were both so charmed with the picture we had conjured up, that when I said: "Suppose, after all, though, that Sir Peter consents?" Daphne's face fell; but presently she smiled, when I said:

"If he does consent, why, then, there is no harm in our marrying any way we like, and he will excuse us for running away. And if he does not consent, there is no help for it—we must elope!"

I considered myself a casuist of the first order. I felt obliged to take the first opportunity of letting Sir Peter know the state of affairs, and, as usual, I determined to begin through Lady Hawkshaw.

"And," as Daphne shrewdly remarked, "they will certainly differ, so we shall at least have one of them on our side."

I sought Lady Hawkshaw and found her in her usual place, in the Chinese room. I began, halting, stammering, and blushing, as if I were a charity schoolboy instead of a lieutenant in his majesty's service, who had been thanked by Lord Nelson.

"M-m-my lady," I stuttered, "I have experienced so much k-k-kindness from you that I have come to you in the greatest emergency of my life."

"You want to get married," promptly replied Lady Hawkshaw.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SPEND MUCH FOR AMUSEMENT.

Twenty-Five Millions Are Invested in Parks in This Country.

"It costs a lot of money to build and operate an amusement park on a large scale," says Frederic Thompson, in Everybody's.

"I suppose that more than $25,000,000 are invested in these parks in this country. Dreamland on Coney island cost about $2,500,000. Riverview Park and the White City in Chicago cost about a million each.

"Luna park cost $2,400,000. The total annual expenses, including the cost of rebuilding, of putting in new shows and the operating expenses, average about a million dollars, and the season lasts four months. I spent $240,000 on one show, of which $68,000 was for animals, mostly elephants and camels—it was the representation of the Indian durbar—and I lost $100,000 on it. I charged the loss up to education, and it was worth it. It costs $5,600 a week to light Luna park, and $4,500 for the music. The salaries of the free performers this season are $2,300 a week. And all of these expenditures, as well as a good many others, go simply to manufacture the carnival spirit."

The Useful Hen.

"Country constables who make a living arresting speeding automobiles wouldn't have half so much trouble stopping the scorchers if they used a little ingenuity," says one of the offenders. "Chains across the road and moving vans blocking the highway are all right to accomplish the purpose, but they're cumbersome. My idea for causing a prompt slow-up is to scatter a lot of grain in a road and turn a lot of hens loose. They would block the road all right, and if there's one thing that will make a chauffeur slow up it's a hen. Dogs are bad enough, but a hen always runs the wrong way, and if the machine is going at any speed usually ends up under the wheels. Hitting a hen will sometimes throw the front wheels out of line and cause the car to swerve, so drivers almost invariably slow up and give poultry a chance to get out of the way. A hen speed trap is a great idea, to my way of thinking, and, of course, if one of the birds were killed the cost could easily be added to the driver's fine."

Morning Meal Time for Smiles

THE day of an entire family is often made or marred by breakfast table manners. If the atmosphere is disagreeable, if even one person starts the day snapping, every one at the table is apt to be disgruntled before the meal is through.

It should not be any harder to smile in the morning than at midnight; indeed, the woman who has lived through 18 hours of strenuous modern life would seemingly have more excuse for irritation at the end of it rather than at the start. Yet, strangely enough, more people feel cross at breakfast than at any other time.

There are women to whom getting out of bed is more of a temper test than a direct insult. They consider the rising gong a personal enemy and seem physically incapable of a smile or pleasant word until they have been up several hours.

Most families have experienced this trying trait in at least one member. What mother has not thumped and hammered at a son's or daughter's door until exhausted in patience and strength, just to get him up for a daily duty? Instead of gratitude, the mother generally meets with sour looks if not rudeness for her pains.

If one is such an incorrigible sleepy head that the morning manners suffer it is well for her to hunt the cause. In a growing girl or boy this crossness may be due to not getting enough sleep for one's strength.

If so, parents should insist that the rest be taken at the other end of the day. Early retiring is much better for a young person than late rising. There is no worse discipline than to let children get up when it suits them.

Laziness and indifference are most often the cause of bad morning manners. Anything goes in the family. It is too much trouble to talk agreeably at breakfast, so John buries himself in his paper and does not speak unless to score the coffee or rank toast, and Mary, with straggling locks and in sloppy wrapper, either sulks or nags.

To start the day wrong, with temper ruffled or feelings hurt, leaves a sting that cuts. If one cannot keep sweet the day through it were better to choose a less auspicious time for temper than the breakfast table, when all should be bright and cheerful, if only to counteract the tendency to morning crossness which most of us feel.

The wife who wishes to be remembered pleasantly is as careful of her morning toilet and her morning manners as she is to appear her best for dinner. If she can't be she had better have coffee in her room. The man who does not wish to have his wife sigh with relief when the door has closed on him for downtown, will take pains to be agreeable at the breakfast table.

Never let children get into the habit of whining at breakfast or of scolding because they will be late to school. Belated meals are responsible for much morning misery; it is hard to keep good tempered if a train must be made on a jump or a black mark is feared.

Set the breakfast hour early enough that mad scrambles and consequent ill humor can be avoided. See to it that every one is down on time.

One mother broke up breakfast table crossness by having a fine for every one who came to the table scowling or who sulked or whined or scolded during the meal.

If you think that it makes little difference how you act or look at breakfast, try coming downstairs singing and happy some rainy day, when the cook is late and the family dispositions are apt to be warped. Though a free row is going on when your cheerful face is first seen, things will quickly calm down under your smiling presence.

Ribbon Trimming for Hat

RIBBON is always more used on summer than on winter hats, and there is every prospect that the huge bows which last season often formed the only trimming for an ordinary hat will again be popular.

For making these bows, materials by the yard are preferable to ribbons, as they make more graceful loops. A thin, light make of supple taffeta or messaline is the favorite material for simple hats, while more elaborate ones have bows of lace or tulle, bordered with satin or soft pompadour silks and gauzes.

The material is cut on the cross in bands measuring from eight to ten inches in width, and is bordered with a double fold, in which milliner's wire is inserted. Often this border is of a different color, even of different material. Thus gauze bows are given, either in the same or a contrasting color.

In making a bow study the shape of the hat and decide whether it is to be flat or outstanding. This can best be decided from the style of the other trimming. Measure the length for the first loop, double over, twist a heavy patent leather thread around the neck of the loop to hold it in place before making the next loop or loops. When the bow is finished all the loops are wound firmly together and the windings are covered with soft folds of the material.

If the wire is not run in before the bow is started, as is the case if the edges are bound, it is inserted in the middle of each loop aud caught with a few slip stitches.

There is such an art in tying a graceful bow that the beginner should never experiment on good materials. Pieces of soft cheesecloth, wired, are excellent for practice, and old bows can be ripped, pressed and tied as nearly as possible as they were before.

If possible, it is well for the girl who intends to go in for trimming her own hats and making her own girdles to take a few lessons in bows from a professional. Even with careful instruction she may never acquire the knack that seems to be inborn, but her bows will not look hopelessly home made.

The chief requisite for the beginner is to know what kind she wishes to tie. Fashions in bows change as they do in everything else. One season they are Alsatian, again the loops stand out in sickle shape, or are compacted into huge rosettes. It is too soon to say just what order of bow will prevail, either for hats or sashes the coming season..

The wide-awake girl who must do her own work will make a tour of the fashionable shops and study the latest thing. She will decide on the kind she wishes to copy and note not only the number of loops and ends but their length and general direction.

IN VOGUE

East Indian hats are among the new articles of headdress.

Of late there has been a turning from the long-used white yoke to lace and net yokes of the color of the gown.

Close, clinging styles have not yet received the expected setback, and will now probably prevail well into the spring.

The fancy arrangement of braids and bands over the bodice produces the bolero effect without its being a separate garment.

The new corsets are very short from the bust to the waist line and remarkably long over the hips, a suitable style for large women.

THREE COSTUMES THAT FIND FAVOR IN PARIS

On the left is an attractive evening gown made on a French design. The middle figure shows an effective two-piece suit of pongee. On the right is a model for a stylish costume for a girl.

YOUR BACKACHE WILL YIELD

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Freddie—Your father told me that I was the black sheep of the family.

Gertrude—What did you say?

Freddie—Bah!

Sees Final Victory Over Tuberculosis.

Dr. William Osler says: "Whether tuberculosis will be finally eradicated is an open question. It is a foe that is very deeply intrenched in the human race. Very hard it will be to eradicate completely, but when we think of what has been done in one generation, how the mortality in many places has been reduced more than 50 per cent.—indeed, in some places 100 per cent.—it is a battle of hope, and so long as we are fighting with hope, the victory is in sight."

Overcome Adversity.

The waves which sorrow lashes up around us stand high between us and the world and make our ship solitary in the midst of a haven full of vessels. Cannot one do like the fair sun, and go under the waves and yet come back again. And yet, after all, if you look upon his going down rightly there is no such thing in reality.—Richter.

A Man of Means.

Stern Parent—Ethel, young Fledgley gave me to understand he was a man of means when he asked for your hand.

Ethel—He is a man of means, father.

Stern Parent—But he only makes $1,000 a year.

Ethel—Well, he means to make more.

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TURKEY POULTS NEED MUCH CARE AND NURSING

Dark, Damp Quarters and Vermin Responsible for Much Disease and Death Among the Young Ones.
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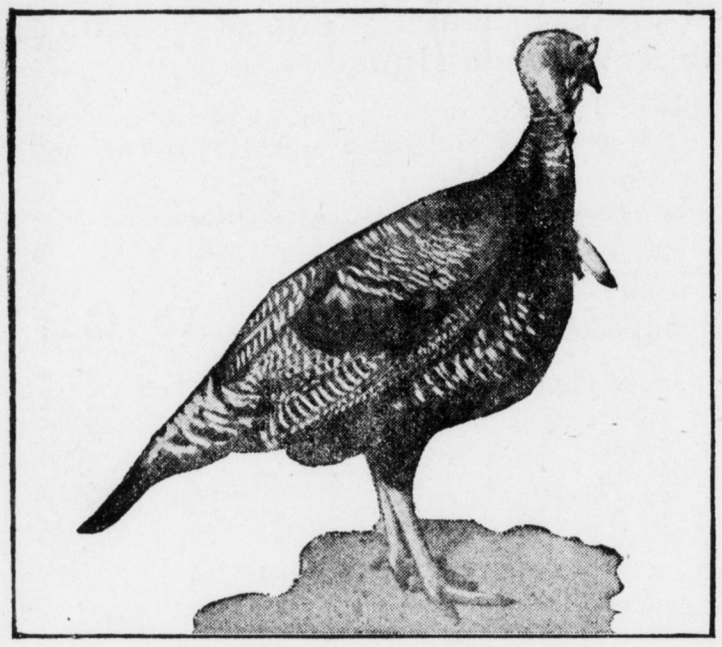


A Prize Winning Turkey Tom.

Turkey hens begin laying early in the spring, and as they usually make their nests on the ground, it is not advisable to let them hatch the first lot of eggs, unless one can get them to sit in some sheltered place.

If the hen sits in a cold, damp nest the eggs will not hatch well. This is often the cause of weak, sickly poults.

While turkey hens make the best mothers, it is a good plan to hatch the first clutch of eggs with chicken hens; then by the time the turkey hens have finished the second laying the weather is somewhat warmer and they may be allowed to sit.

See that the hens have good nests and are kept free of lice. If the hens are allowed to sit in old nest-boxes they will soon become regular louse incubators. Then when the little turkeys come out your trouble will begin in earnest.

It doesn't take many lice to kill a young turkey. A young turkey cannot endure these life-sapping creatures as long as a chick can.

If the feed is all right, and still they do not seem to thrive, the chances are that they have vermin of some sort.

Spread the wings out and examine well on both the inside and outside. The latter is a favorite hiding place, and it sometimes happens that no lice can be found anywhere else. However, it is not uncommon to find the large lice wherever there are pin-feathers. Head lice attack little turkeys almost as soon as they are hatched.

Last year we pinned our faith to a so-called "louse-killer," and before we knew it our turkeys and chickens were literally alive with lice. Whether it has lost its strength or was bogus we are not prepared to say, but every time it was applied the little fowls became so sick that some of them came near dying.

It had a worse effect upon the turkeys and chickens than it did upon the lice. Then we began to use lard, as we used to do years ago, before "louse-killers" came into general use.

Up to this time we had lost 15 turkeys and twice that number of chickens, all because the "louse-killer" failed to kill lice. No more turkeys or chicks died, but thousands of lice did. Great care must be exercised lest a little too much is applied. Just a little is enough, and it must be put on where it will reach the lice.

Take a little on the end of the finger and apply wherever the lice are found. Olive oil may be used instead of lard. Lice cannot live long in either, and both are harmless to the little fowls unless too much is used.

The grease should not touch the bare spot under the wings if it can be avoided, and the head should not be greased unless one is certain that either lice or nits are present.

A young turkey needs sunshine. Some people make a practice of shutting their turkeys up in close, dark coops for the first week or two after they are hatched.

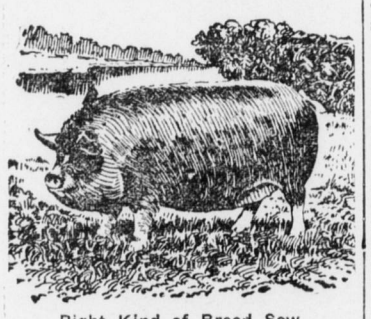
These are the people whose turkeys die "without any cause."

GET RIGHT KIND OF BROOD SOW

Scrubs Never Prove to be Money Getters.

Few things are more displeasing than to see a lot of heterogenous pigs following a scrub sow. They are unsatisfactory to the feed lot and unprofitable to the farmer.

There is no good excuse for keeping scrub sows. The brood sow should be large, roomy and stand well on her toes. The shoulders should be smooth and deep, back wide and slightly arched. There should be ample room for



Right Kind of Brood Sow.

heart and lungs provided by a wide and deep chest, well-sprung ribs and straight, deep sides. A good depth of chest and abdomen are especially important in a sow.

If possible the sow should be selected from a large litter. This is apt to insure fecundity. Each sow should have at least 12 well-developed teats, thus providing proper nourishment for large litters.

The sow should show quality, but not at the expense of constitution and vigor. When a sow has shown herself to be a prolific breeder she should be retained as long as her reproductive powers are maintained.

Treatment for Roup.—Roup is a contagious catarrh and will, unless immediately checked, go through the entire flock. Every affected bird should be separated from the rest at once. The swelling on the head should be opened with a sharp instrument and the wound treated with an antiseptic, such as listerine, or one part carbolic acid to twenty parts water. A five per cent. solution of sulphate of copper injected into the nostrils, the cleft of the palate, the eyes and the wounds made by opening the swellings is said to be very good.

Sometimes roup takes the form of diphtheria and is more violent than ordinary roup. Sometimes children take it from poultry. It is very difficult to cure, and if this disease got into my own flock I would kill every affected bird and burn its body. You will save time and probably a part of your flock by killing all the diseased birds and burning them.

Put the rest of the flock in warm, dry quarters, and before putting them in burn a little sulphur in the building, first closing all the openings. Do not put the birds into the building for at least five hours after the burning of the sulphur, during which time it should be thoroughly ventilated.

Pointers on Pea Raising.—It is difficult to secure exhibition peas without thinning the clusters. A pole with a notch in one end is used, which enables the operator to twist them off rapidly. Usually, if the clusters were reduced one-half or more, the crop would be more valuable. Nature does some of this thinning, but not enough. If half the blossoms drop without setting fruit, the orchardist will do well to cut out half of those that remain.

Japanese Cherries.—The Japanese cultivate the cherry tree mainly for its blossom, and have parks and avenues of these trees. When the blossoms are at the height of beauty everybody goes to see the trees, and the mikado gives a garden party to Japanese and European officials for the enjoyment of the sight.

Feeding Calves.—Don't feed the calves too much milk. Don't feed sour milk. Don't feed the young calves cold milk or the digestion of the calf will be in danger, and lack of thrift, scours and so-called calf cholera will follow.

Relieving Choking Cow.—One who has successfully tried it says that a choked cow may be relieved by tying a stick in her mouth to hold it open for a while. Her effort to dislodge it will start the obstruction in the throat.

Alfalfa Adulterations.—The most common adulterations of alfalfa seed are burr clover, yellow, trefoil and sweet clover. Crab grass, rib grass and green and yellow foxtail are also found.

LOOKED A LITTLE UNSTABLE

Body Servant of Gen. Mahone Doubtful of the Qualities of His Master's "Props."

Gen. Adalbert R. Buffington, at a dinner in Madison, N. J., told a number of civil war stories.

"Gen. Mahone," he said, "was very thin. One cold and windy December morning in '64 he was taking a nap in his tent when his old colored servant, 'Uncle Davy,' tiptoed in, and, stumbling in the darkness, knocked down the general's folding cot and spilled him out on the frozen ground.

"Gen. Mahone jumped up furiously, seized a scabbard and made for Davy. Davy ran. The general gave chase.

"Uncle Davy tore up hill and down dale till he was pretty well out of breath; then he looked back over his shoulder at his master, who bounded after him on slender limbs, blue and thin, his long, while night shirt fluttering in the chill morning.

"'Fo' de lan's sake, Mars' William,' the exhausted Davy yelled, desperately, 'yo' hain't trustin' yo'se'f in dis wind on dem legs, is you?'"

AGONIZING ITCHING.

Eczema for a Year—Got No Relief Even at Skin Hospital—In Despair

Until Cuticura Cured Him.

"I was troubled with a severe itching and dry, scrufy skin on my ankles, feet, arms and scalp. Scratching made it worse. Thousands of small red pimples formed and these caused intense itching. I was advised to go to the hospital for diseases of the skin. I did so, the chief surgeon saying: "I never saw such a bad case of eczema." But I got little or no relief. Then I tried many so-called remedies, but I became so bad that I almost gave up in despair. After suffering agonies for twelve months, I was relieved of the almost unbearable itching after two or three applications of Cuticura Ointment. I continued its use, combined with Cuticura Soap and Pills, and I was completely cured. Henry Searle, Little Rock, Ark., Oct. 8 and 10, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Ate a Chick with Big Eyes.

A trainman is telling an incident that occurred on a Mohawk & Malone train up in the woods the other day. The train was standing on a siding waiting the arrival and passing of another train when an Italian walked through the coach, his hands crossed on his stomach and his head wagging from side to side in a doleful manner.

"What's the matter, John?" some one inquired.

"Oh, me sick—me sick as dev," replied the man, rolling his head still more distressingly and continuing the rubbing of his stomach.

"Sick? Well, what you been eating?" asked the sympathetic passenger.

"Eata de chick with the big eyes," responded John, as his groans increased.

John had killed an owl the night before and it didn't agree with him.—Utica Observer.

Interrupted the Wedding.

The other day, at the Shawnee county Court House, Probate Judge Schoch was about to marry a young couple. He pronounced the preliminary words and told them to join hands, and started on the ceremony.

"Hey, there! Hold up a minute! Wait, I say!" This series of startling exclamations came from the door.

The groom was horrified—the bride badly scared.

"Just a minute. I want to give you each an apple before you are married." said the man who had made the noise. And in he calmly walked and handed each of them a Grimes Golden.

It was one man's idea of a joke.—Kansas City Journal.

PRESSED HARD

Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When prominent men realize the injurious effects of coffee and the change in health that Postum can bring, they are glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

A superintendent of public schools in one of the southern states says:

"My mother, since her early childhood, was on inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak all over' feeling and sick stomach.

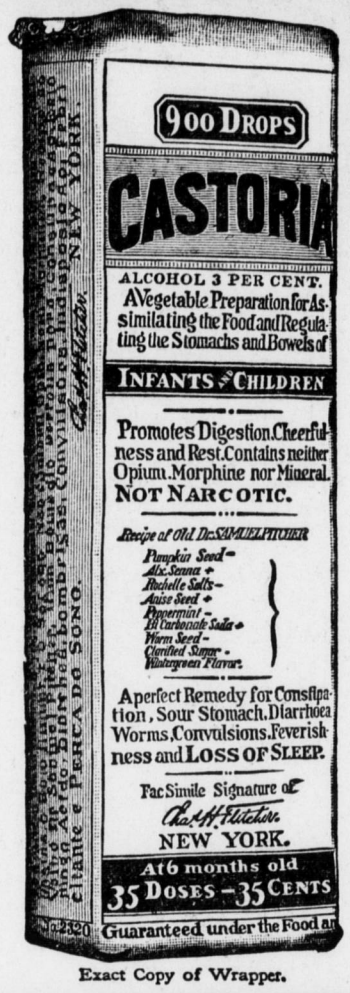
"Some time ago I was making an official visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat peculiar flavour of the coffee, and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum.

"I was so pleased with it, that after the meal was over, I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family were so well pleased with it, that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely.

"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was as well and hearty as the rest of us.

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, but not in so marked a degree as in the case of my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.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Willie—I don't know; but I know what he'd say if I did not dig for them. That's him fishing over there."

GOT TO THE CAUSE

And Then All Symptoms of Kidney Trouble Vanished.

C. J. Hammonds, 517 S. Hill St., Fort Scott, Kansas, says: "I was operated on for stone in the kidney but not cured and some time after was feeling so bad that I knew there must be another stone that would have to be cut out. I decided to try Doan's Kidney Pills and the kidney action improved right away. Large quantities of sediment and stony particles passed from me, and finally the stone itself, part dissolved, but still as big as a pea. With it disappeared all symptoms of dizziness, rheumatism and headaches. I have gained about 50 pounds since and feel well and hearty."

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Rabbinical Wit.

An English rabbi was asked if there was any weighty reason against having a clock in the synagogue. "By no means," was the reply. "Have your clock, but put it outside the building, and then you can tell how late you come to the service." Two rabbis were passing the beautiful synagogue in which one of them officiated. "How I envy you!" said the first. "You must be in a paradise." "Hold, friend!" the second explained. "In the original paradise there was only one serpent, but in this congregation are many of them."

Oil Lamps Brighter Than Electric Light.

Probably one of the most wonderful as well as useful of modern inventions is that of a New York scientist who has just secured from the Government protection on a lamp burner, which by converting the oil into hydro-carbon gas, burning on a mantle, gives an eighty candle power light with less oil consumption and without carbonizing the mantle or overheating the lamp. It can be fitted to any lamp and the wick lasts a lifetime. There is absolutely no danger, no odor and no smoke. The Union Light Co., of New York City, have acquired the selling rights of this burner, which is called the "Herzog," after the inventor, and, we understand, are making a special discount to introduce it into each township with a view of securing a local representative.

The Only Way.

"We all make blunders. I thought once I was a square peg when I was really a round one."

"How did you find out your mistake?"

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"I was not told the whole truth"—*William Jennings Bryan*

In a speech made in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas in December last, Hon. William Jennings Bryan said—

"The trip through your fertile valley has been a succession of surprises to me and the only fault I can find is that *I was not told the whole truth. The development surpasses the reports which I had heard.* I am pleased with the soil and the climate, and besides having natural advantages you have the advantage of irrigation.

"You are creating wealth and what you make you are entitled to. You are earning legitimate fortunes."

Yes and liberal fortunes too, for money is made quickly and easily in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas. Profits of from $300 to $1000 an acre are the rule, not the exception.

Why don't you do the same—you don't need much capital. You can buy the few acres you need on easy terms and the first crop, if properly cared for, should more than pay for the land.

O. Riggs, Mercedes, Texas, bought *ten acres* last fall. Including clearing, plowing, etc., it cost $2040. He *has shipped* enough *beans* from the land to *pay for it in less than six months* and can raise *another crop before the year is out.*

Very low excursion fares via Rock Island-Frisco Lines twice a month. It will pay you to *see for yourself.*

Write today for full information about big profits growers are making in the Gulf Coast Country of Texas, and a set of colored post cards of Texas Gulf Coast Scenes.

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A Fulsome Compliment.

During Mr. Cleveland's tour of the south shortly after his marriage Mrs. Cleveland and he were driving one day through the streets of one of the larger towns escorted by two of its citizens. Some one threw a bunch of violets to Mrs. Cleveland, and Mr. Cleveland bent forward to catch it, remarking as he presented it, "I wonder why no one gives me flowers."

One of the gentlemen present gallantly replied, "We think you have won the fairest flower in all the land."

"Ah, yes," returned the president; "but, you see, I can't keep her in water!"

"It is not necessary since you keep her in such excellent spirits," was the reply.

Here Mrs. Cleveland interposed, saying, "I am afraid you are guilty of flattery," whereupon came the reply:

"No, madam. Flattery is fulsome compliment. and in this instance no compliment could be either too frank or too fulsome."

The charm of this response lies in the last and fourth from the last words, Mrs. Cleveland's maiden name being Frances Folsom.

A Queer Chinese Notion.

One of the beliefs which the Chinese are slowly unlearning is that foreigners use the eyes and hearts of Chinamen in compounding rare and costly drugs which are valuable aids in magic. Medicine and magic have for ages gone hand in hand in China, just as they once did in Europe. Ignorant Chinamen therefore readily believe such tales. The use of eyes of Chinese by foreigners in metallurgy is described in a work called "A Deathblow to Corrupt Practices," published in 1870. According to this, when white Christians had charge of a funeral they drove all the relatives and friends from the house. Both eyeballs were then removed from the corpse, the orifices being filled with plaster. This was called "sealing the eyes for the western journey." By compounding these eyes with a hundred pounds of Chinese lead, this veracious chronicle continues, eight pounds of silver could be extracted from it. The sight organs of any other people were useless for this purpose.

Marine Rubber Chewers.

The sailor, taking a fine, new rubber band from the stationery display, began to chew it with vigorous enjoyment.

"What are you up to there?" snarled the druggist.

"Just rubber chewin'," said the sailor. "It's a habit with all us navy fellers. Keeps off gun headache.

"Of course you, a landlubber, don't know nothin' about it. But let me tell you, mate, when a sixteen inch gun goes off aboard ship the jar shatters winders, splits planks and brings your lower teeth up against your uppers like a straight left from old John L.

"The result is a gun headache—such a headache! But if you chew rubber in firing time it eases off the shock and you don't suffer none. I been chewin' it steady ever since Manila Bay."

"Rubber chewing—what a nasty habit," said the druggist.

"Rag chewin's worse," was the sailor's reply.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Close Quarters For Washington.

At the time, now some years ago, when subscriptions were being solicited for the erection of a statue in New York city to President Washington a gentleman called to secure a contribution from an old resident who, although wealthy, was a little "near." On learning the object of the visit the rich man exclaimed:

"Washington! Washington! Why, Washington does not need a statue! I keep him enshrined in my heart!"

In vain were the visitor's solicitations, and he was naturally indignant at the parsimony of the millionaire.

"Well, Mr. R.," he remarked quietly as he rose to leave, "all I can say is that if the Father of His Country is in the position in which you describe him he is in a tight place!"

The Title "King."

The sovereign title of king has generally been supposed to be derived from the old British word "gyning," signifying "wise." But the Hebrew term "rosch" is doubtless the root of all the present titles denoting kingly power, including the Punic "resch," the Scythian "reix," the Latin "rex," the Spanish "rey" and the French "roi." The German nations styled their monarch according to their different dialects—"konig," "kuning," "koning," "king."

Time's Changes.

The captain was receiving the new middy.

"Well, boy, the old story, I suppose—fool of the family sent to sea?"

"Oh, no, sir," piped the boy, "that's all altered since your day."—London News.

Not Misplaced.

Hotel Clerk—I found the "Not to Be Used Except In Case of Fire" placard those college boys stole out of the corridor. Manager—Where? Clerk—They'd nailed it up over the coal bin.—Boston Transcript.

Gritty.

"Fifty miles an hour! Are you brave?" She (swallowing another pint of dust)—Yes, dear; I'm full of grit.—Chicago News.

A Deserter.

Hewitt—Green has been arrested for being a deserter. Jewett — Wife or army?—New York Press.

They conquer who believe they can. —Vergil.

Breezy County News

GROVE HILL.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Winfield Summerson and family, of Sinnamahoning, drove to Oak Grove farm Saturday and spent Sunday with George Hill and wife.

Lial Jordan and sister Grace, spent Sunday on the Hill.

A surprise party was enjoyed at H. P. Hill's, June 16th, it being the natal day of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Vancise,who is spending the summer here.

Mrs. Wm. Wheaton and family visited relatives on the Hill a couple of days last week.

Sunday school was re-organized for the coming year with Mrs. Darius Ives, Sup't., and Albert Jordan, Sec'y.

George Hill made a business trip to Driftwood Monday.

Darius Ives and wife and daughter Zylpha, visited in Driftwood Friday.

Dorothy Jordan was a Driftwood caller Saturday.

Gladys, Audrey and Carrie Hill went on a botanizing trip to Huntley last week. They were enlightened on bean culture. How about it girls?

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HUNTLEY.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

John Ebersole, of Emporium, called on A. W. Smith Sunday.

Glenn Logue and wife, of Austin, are visiting their parents, Wm. H. Logue and wife.

L. G. Smith had the misfortune of getting his finger smashed while helping to load ties on work train Wednesday.

Wm. Nelson has accepted a position with the DuBois Lumber Co., at Hicks Run.

G. S. Hill and daughter Gertrude, of Grove Hill, were seen on our streets Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Wheaton and children, of Sinnamahoning, were the guests of W.R. Smith and family Sunday.

Henry Hill and wife, of Grove Hill, called on A. W. Smith Saturday.

J. Henry Logue, who has been laboring at the Willowdale mansion, was home over Sunday.

Audrey Hill, of Grove Hill, called on friends in town Saturday.

Winfield Summerson and family, of Sinnamahoning, called on W. R. Smith and family Sunday.

Jesse Johnson, of First Fork, called on relatives and friends Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Batchelder and daughter, of Sinnamahoning, were the guest of her parents, J. S. Jordan and wife, over Sunday.

Geo. Darrin, of Sinnamahoning, called on Wm. Wylie and family, Thursday.

R. T. Mitchelltree, wife, son and daughter, of Williamsport, are the guests of the latter's parents, Wm. H. Logue and wife, this week.

The annual reunion of the Jordan family, which was held at this place, June 19th, 1909, was a very pleasant affair. Everybody enjoyed the occasion. Thirty-seven of the decendants gathered around the table and partook of the sumptuous feast of good things. We hope that they may live to enjoy many such occasions.

B. S.

DOWNWARD COURSE

Fast Being Realized by Emporium People.

A little backache at first.

Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak.

Urinary disorders quickly follow;

Diabetes and finally Bright's disease.

This is the downward course of kidney ills.

Don't take this course. Follow the advice of an Emporium citizen.

Mrs. August Extrum, Sixth St., Emporium, Pa., says: "I do not hesitate to recommend Doan's kidney Pills and I have done so on many occasions. For a long time I was in a miserable condition, suffering from backache and sharp pains in my kidneys. I was restless at night, at times my feet became swollen and I was also subject to headaches and dizzy spells. I was unable to obtain relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills from Taggart's drug store. When I had finished the contents of the first box there was a great improvement and after I had used three or four boxes the backache had completely disappeared. I was no longer troubled with headaches or dizzy spells and my general health was much improved."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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STERLING RUN.

W. H. Mitchell, Dentist, Emporium.

Mrs. Nelson and children of Shawville was the guest of her mother, Mrs. N. D. Jordan, a few days the past week.

Mrs. Conden of Curwensville, was a visitor in town the past week, guest of Geo. Strawbridge and Mrs. Jordan.

J. R. Frank is the proud grand-father of a ten pound boy which arrived the past week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lottie White of Rochester.

Mrs. Perry Mason and daughter of Renovo, were the guests of Mrs. B. E. Lord, Saturday.

Sterling base ball team played Dents Run Saturday, 3 to 17 in favor of the home team.

E. P. Brooks of Medix Run, visited his mother Mrs. L. J. Brooks a few days the past week week.

Clarence Johnson of Renovo, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. P. H. Mason.

H. F. Klink of Wilcox is working in A. A. Smith's place as electrician for a short time.

Mrs. Wm. Berry returned home Tuesday from a short visit at Emporium.

C. G. Howlett and wife are visiting the latter's parents, W. M. Summerson and wife of Hicks Run,

Squire Eddy and family visited friends in Harrisburg a few days the past week.

John Neenan visited his family over Sunday.

Samuel Ebersole and wife while out picking strawberries at Calico place, about a mile above the old tannery, seen a doe deer the past week.

We would advise you pic-nicers of Sterling Run, to take a weather prophet along hereafter. Ha, ha.

J. A. Dice, Pennsy agent here was called to Renovo Tuesday to attend an agents meeting at that place.

Geo. Strawbridge and family and Mrs. N. D. Jordan and daughter Nora attended the Jordan reunion at Huntley, Saturday—thirty-five of the family were present.

H. F. Foster visited his brother Morgan at Rathbun, Monday.

Emporium visitors this week were: A. F. Anderson, J. R. Strawbridge and wife, Mrs. G. W. Howlet and daughter Jessie.

Benj. Dayton fell into a barbed wire fence Thursday and cut his hand quite badly.

Blue Bell.

CAMERON.

H. W. Mitchell, dentist, Emporium.

C. J. Goodnough of Emporium was a business caller in town this week.

Mrs. Robt Graham and children are visiting friends and relatives at Austin.

Sheriff J. W. Norris made a business trip to this place Tuesday.

Jacob Lester has started carpentering and teaming in preference to working in the woods.

Mrs. F. L. Webster, who was operated on at Coudersport hospital recently is reported getting nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Mrs. E. D. Crape and children are spending a few weeks visiting friends and relatives at Madera and other points in Clearfield county.

Mrs. Edw. McCracken of Calder was overcome by the intense heat on Monday but is improving, it is reported.

P. R. R. agent, J. M. Schnyder made a business trip to Renovo Tuesday.

Quite a number of men in town the past week surveying; evidently something doing in the near future. Let the good work go on.

Samuel and Lola Schwab are spending their vacation with friends and relatives at Johnsonburg.

J. R. Strawbridge, track walker, killed a three foot rattlesnake Sunday night that had seven rattles.

Webb and John Hains, with their families, stopped in this place Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs E. M. McFadden while on their way to Huston. They returned Tuesday.

Louise.

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Railroad News.

A record achievement in the movement of a heavy freight trains has been accomplished on the Pennsylvania Railroad between Altoona and Enola, near Harrisburg, Pa. To determine what could be done in actual road service, as the result of some of the company's recent expenditures for improvements, 85 steel gondola cars loaded with a total 4,451 tons of coal were on Monday, June 14, attached to locomotive No. 1113, a freight engine of the most improved type.

The total weight of the train was 6,151 tons, and its length from the pilot of the locomotive to the rear platform of the cabin car was 3,000 feet—nearly three-fifths of a mile. The run of approximately 124 miles was made in 7 hours and 15 minutes, the average speed of the train being about 17 miles per hour.

The Company had made a number of road tests previously, but the performance of the 14th surpassed all others. The heaviest trains moved between Altoona and Enola, prior to this record run, were handled during the month

Date	Engine Number	Number of cars	Total Weight of train	Time
June 8	3212	75 Steel	5307 tons	10 h. 21 m.
June 8	2903	75 Steel	5348 tons	8 h. 2 m.
June 8	451	75 Steel	5348 tons	10 h. 12 m.
June 3	5212	85 Mixed	4852 tons	12 h. 30 m.
June 5	1641	86 Mixed	4922 tons	9 h. 42 m.
June 8	2905	87 Mixed	4623 tons	10 h. 21 m.

These runs were made possible by the fact that the Company has now reduced all grades and compensated all curves on the "Middle Division" on its main line betweenNewYork and Pittsburg, so that the ruling grade there is on .3 of one per cent. or less than 17 feet to the mile. The last step in this scheme of improvements was taken lately in the opening to service of the four tracks involving radical revisions of grade and removal of curvature for the 11 miles between Mt. Union and Byde.

Formerly, it was necessary to have a "pusher," or extra locomotive, help long freight trains over the heavy grades. Now, it is possible for single locomotives unaided to accomplish these record results.

The Ramblers.

Last Thursday evening there was a happy gathering at the home of W. S. Sterner, on Broad street, at which time the young ladies of the Ramblers were entertained by Messrs. Max Balcom, Claude Rentz and Lee Felt. The girls were very industrious and brought their sewing, it being the regular evening for the meeting of the Girls Sewing Society and the boys were certainly kept busy hunting thimbles and threading needles. When the young ladies were fatigued with their sewing and laughing, a light collation was served by the young men, after which the girls proceeded to the kitchen and washed the dishes. At mid-night the hosts escorted their fair guests to their homes. Those present were Misses Marion Rentz, Emma Ellis, Edith Heilman, Anna Welch, Bessie McQuay, Ethel Day and Alma Hertig.

Of Interest to Farmers and Mechanics

Farmers and mechanics frequently meet with slight accidents and injuries which cause them much annoyance and loss of time. A cut or bruise may be cured in about one-third the time usually required by applying Chamberlain's Liniment as soon as the injury is received. The liniment is also valuable for sprains, soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains. There is no danger of blood poisoning resulting from an injury when Chamberlain's Liniment is applied before the parts become inflamed and swollen. For sale at Taggart's.

Extraordinary Bargains
IN
BEAUTIFUL WASH DRESS GOODS

From the semi-annual Clearing Sale of Buffalo's Largest Wholesale Dry Goods House.

We were the first on hand last Monday morning at this importune sale and secured some of the choicest and handsomest patterns and finest materials.

"Organdie Florette" Pretty Flowered Muslin Regular price per yd 9c, Sale price - -	6½c
"Princess Pongee," a silky material Regular price 15c, Sale price - - -	11c
"Pois de Soi," beautiful soft silk finished material Regular price 25c, Sale price - - -	15c
"Lucerne Tissue," handsome designs, light weight material, Regular price 25c, Sale price -	15c
"Silk Dot Muslin" in light colors, Regular price 19c, Sale price - - -	16c
"Monotone Silk," very handsome Regular price 25c, Sale price - - .	17c
"Shantung Silk," in beautiful colors Regular price 50c, Sale price . . .	36c
"Victoria Silver Striped Silk" very rich Regular price 50c, Sale price . . .	25c

These Goods are now on Sale We will mail samples to out of town customers on request, but order quickly if you want some of these bargains.

R. KUEHNE, Emporium's Greatest Store

For Rent.

A good house, located on West Creek Road, one mile west of Emporium Will give work for rent.

13-tf. E. J. Rogers.

Men Past Fifty in Danger.

Men past middle life have found comfort and relief in Foley's Kidney Remedy especially for enlarged prostrate gland, which is very common among elderly men. L. E. Morris, Dexter, Ky., writes: "Up to a year ago my father suffered from kidney and bladder trouble and several physicians pronounced it enlargement of the prostrate gland and advised an operation. On account of his age we were afraid he could not stand it and I recommended Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the first bottle relieved him, and after taking the second bottle he was no longer troubled with this complaint." Sold by all druggists.

Stomach Troubles

Many remarkable cures of stomach troubles have been effected by Chamberlains Stomach and Liver Tablets. One man who had spent over two thousand dollars for medicine and treatment was cured by a few boxes of these tablets. Price, 25c. Samples free at Taggart's drug store.

Many of our citizons are drifting towards Bright's disease by neglecting symtoms of kidney and bladder trouble which Foley's Kidney Remedy will quickly cure. Sold by all druggists.

Colds that hang on weaken the constitution and develop into consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures persistent coughs that refuses to yield to other treatment. Do not experiment with untried remedies is delay may result in the cold settling on your lungs.

For inflamation of the bladder, backache and weak back, take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. Send your name to E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, for a free trial box. Sold by all druggists.

If you have dyspepsia or indigestion or any stomach trouble, you must help the stomach do its work by taking something that can and will digest the food for the stomach. Kodol will do this, and it is the only thing we know that will. It is sold by all druggists.

Latest Popular Music.

Miss May Gould, teacher of piano forte has received a full line of the latest and most popular sheet music. All the popular airs. Popular and classical music. Prices reasonable.

44-tf.

Every one would be benefitted by taking Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation, stomach and liver trouble, as it sweetens the stomach and breath, gently stimulates the liver and regulates the bowels and is much superior to pills and ordinary laxatives. Why not try Foley's Orino to-day. Sold by all druggists.

DeWitts Little Early Risers, the fe sure, gentle, easy little liver pills. Sold by all druggists.

Sore Nipples.

Any mother who has had experience with this distressing ailment will be pleased to know that a cure may be effected by applying Chamberlain's Salve as soon as the child is done nursing. Wipe it off with a soft cloth before allowing the babe to nurse. Many trained nurses use this salve with best results. For sale at Taggart's.

Granulated Sugar 25 pound sacks for $1.45, at C. B. Howard & Co's.

To avoid serious results take Foley's Kidney Remedy at the first sign of kidney or bladder disorder such as backache, urinary irregularities, exhaustion, and you will soon be well. Commence taking Foley's Kidney Remedy to-day. Sold by all druggists.

LIST OF CAUSES.

List of causes set down for trial at July Term of Court for 1909, commencing Monday, the 12th.

No. 15 July Term, 1907.
Henry G. Lyon vs Owen C. Dininny.
E. R. Mayo, Esq., for Plff.
Messrs. Johnson & McNarney for Deft.

No. 25 Oct. Term, 1907.
John Urbansic vs J. W. Norris.
D. J. Driscoll, Esq., for Plff.

No. 38 April Term, 1909.
The Flint Wagon Works, a corporation, organized under the laws of Michigan and doing business at Flint, Michigan, vs F. D. Logan.
Hon. Geo. R. Dixon, for Plff.
Messrs. Johnson & McNarney for Deft.

WILLIAM J. LEAVITT,
Prothonotary.

Court Proclamation.—Whereas:—The Hon. Harry A. Hall, President Judge and the Hons. John McDonald and Geo. J. LaBar, Associate Judges of Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court and Court of Common Pleas for the county of Cameron have issued their precept bearing date the 25th day of May, A. D., 1909, and to me directed for holding Court of Oyer and Terminer, General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Orphans' Court, and Court of Common Pleas in the Borough of Emporium, Pa., on Monday, the 12th day of July, 1909, at 10 o'clock, a. m. and to continue one week.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroners, Justices of the Peace and Constables within the county, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations, and other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those who are bound by their recognizance to prosecute against them as will be just.

Dated at Emporium, Pa., June 7, 1909, and in the 132d year of the Independence of the United States of America.

J. W. NORRIS, Sheriff.